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ABSTRACT

This project was conducted to refine and expand previous research indicating the need for an instrument counselors can use in working with area secondary schools and potential students to assess their progress in making career and training decisions. Instruments developed during this research process were pilot tested at two area schools and initial results prepared. This continuation project stressed enhancement of initial results and assessment of the validity of research instruments. Participating in the project were over 3,500 students from 8 high schools representative of the region (1 urban, 3 suburban, 2 rural, 1 private, and 1 vocational school). Some of the procedures conducted during the project were the following: (1) research instruments were evaluated and altered to address areas of concern for articulation research; (2) the career planning survey was revised to facilitate administration and student completion; (3) 40 area schools were assisted during the funded period; (4) one high school was enabled to begin conducting longitudinal research on its students; (5) a specific research instrument was developed to be used at the Indiana School for the Deaf; (6) a needs assessment instrument to be used with parents was developed; and (7) a computer-based analysis system was developed. As a result of the project, the research instruments have been refined to the point that they may be used repeatedly with little change. They are expected to yield reliable information in the future. (Survey instruments and results constitute the bulk of this document.) (KC)

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FINAL REPORT

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II. INFORMATION SHEET

Project population

Groups	Numbers of persons: Impacted by project	Conducting or giving input
students		
secondary	7000+	3553
postsecondary		
adult		
school personnel		
secondary	100	15
postseconday	40	15
adult		
other		
teacher educators		10
employers		
employees		
other: Parents		2
special needs		
disadvantaged	1000	650
handicapped		25
migrant		
minority	300	96
limited English proficiency	100	67

III. STATEMENT OF OBJECTIVES

1) To refine and expand research instruments developed during the 1982 research project. Provisions were to be made to allow individual schools to personalize the assessment instruments to address specific school needs and concerns. School staff will be offered training in administration of the instruments so that they may continue use of the test after the funded period.

2) To develop a more stratified sample of participating secondary schools. The sample of students would therefore be more representative of the population in Central Indiana, including urban, suburban, rural, private and vocational school students. Results from the earlier study and conclusions drawn are to be reevaluated based on the new sample.

3) To assist at least one secondary school in implementing a longitudinal study of their students' career development, using a panel approach.

4) To assist secondary schools as requested and appropriate through use of funded staff. Areas for intervention include student career counseling, classroom presentations, and course analysis. This objective was developed in response to our primary research finding that indicated much higher post secondary vocational training participation rates for students from a vocational background.

5) To work more closely with agencies dealing with special needs populations, including the Indiana School for the Deaf and the Indiana Office of Vocational Rehabilitation.

6) To cooperate with parent-teacher groups to prepare and administer a needs assessment instrument appropriate for parents of secondary students.

7) To develop a system which would allow economical and efficient analysis of survey data. Provisions for reporting results to participating schools would also be prepared.

8) To conduct a complete evaluation of the research project to date with appropriate input from affected parties.

IV. STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

The purpose of the current project was to refine and extend research conducted under our 1982 research grant in secondary/postsecondary articulation. In order to fully meet the needs of the population of Central Indiana (IVTC Region 08, Marion, Boone, Hamilton, Hancock, Hendricks, Johnson, Morgan and Shelby counties), Indiana Vocational Technical College must respond to the vocational guidance concerns of potential students as well as the problems that face teachers, counselors and administrators who come in contact with these students. Initial research indicated the needs for an assessment instrument to assess students' progress in making career and training decisions. Such an instrument would help secondary educators in their guidance function, improve post secondary marketing efforts by targeting strategies based on research results and improve the image of IVTC in the community.

The current research was to reach groups not covered under the 1982 project. Parents have historically been noted as a prime motivator in the career decision process of secondary school age individuals. Lisack (in his Manpower Studies) noted the tremendous influence of parents on student decisions about careers and training institutions. Our 1982 research indicated a strong influence of parents on student decisions about careers and training institutions, although at a level far below that reported by the Purdue studies.

V. STRATEGIES/PROCEDURES

(Strategies listed below are numbered to correspond with objectives listed in Section III.)

1) Research instruments were revised based on comments and evaluations by tested students, secondary school staff, and persons administering the instruments. Testing packets were designed specifically for any participating school that elected to alter the basic form (See Section VII. B). These packets then became property of the schools so that they might administer the test in the future. All schools that participated in the current project administered the form using their own staff. The researcher in charge met with key people at each school prior to testing to train staff in administering the instrument to their students.

2) In order to develop a more representative stratified sample of schools and students, all schools in Region 08 were offered our services and the survey (See Section VII. B). Obviously, schools had to be interested in administering the instrument to allow staff to come into their schools, so inquiries for services were answered on a first-come first-served basis. As the project developed, our sample was dictated by responses to our offer of assistance. The final sample included: Ben Davis High School, North Central High School, Monrovia High School, Mooresville High School, Bishop Chatard High School, Franklin Community High School, Greenfield High School, Tri-West Hendricks High School and Northwest High School.

3) Two area schools were interested in using the Career Planning Survey on a continued basis. Monrovia High School will be conducting a longitudinal study of their students to assess planned changes in guidance operations and the stability of students' career decisions as reported on the form. Franklin High will be using the survey as a vital component in their student follow-up program. The survey will be administered to seniors. Following graduation, these same students will be mailed a survey on how well their career plans have worked out, and how satisfied they are with their decisions.

These two studies will give an added dimension to the Survey and also add greatly to the body of knowledge available on central Indiana secondary students and their career decision-making process.

4) Staff Services (Student Career Counseling, classroom presentations, course analysis, etc.) were made available to all schools in Region 08. The schools assisted include:

Lebanon High School
Zionsville Community High School
Hamilton Southeastern High School
Marion Adams High School
Noblesville High School
Westfield Washington High School
Eastern Hancock High School
Greenfield Central High School
Mount Vernon High School
Avon High School
Brownsburg High School
Cascade Senior High School
Danville Community High School
Plainfield High School
Tri-West Hendricks Jr.-Sr. High School
Center Grove High School
Franklin Community High School
Arsenal Technical High School
Beech Grove Senior High School
Ben Davis High School
Bishop Chatard High School
Broad Ripple High School

Cardinal Ritter High School
Decatur Central High School
Emmerich Manual High School
Franklin Central High School
Lawrence Central High School
Lawrence North High School
North Central High School
Northwest High School
Perry Meridian High School
Pike High School
Southport High School
Roncalli High School
Scecina Memorial High School
Speedway High School
Warren Central High School
Martinsville High School
Monrovia High School
Mooresville High School

5) A specific research instrument was developed to be used at the Indiana School for the Deaf (See Section VII. B). To further enhance communciations between Ivy Tech, Indiana School for the Deaf and the Indiana Department of Vocational Rehabilitation, an advisory board was created which included participation by grant personnel and other community agency representatives.

6) In cooperation with the Ben Davis Parents Teacher Association (PTA), a needs assessment instrument that could be used with parents was developed (See Section VII. B.). It was the opinion of the Ben Davis principal, vice principal and the PTA president that the current lack of enthusiasm in their PTA organization would not lend itself to administering the instrument to this group at the present time.

7) The Data Analysis System consisted of an Apple IIE 64 K Computer, a ScanTron Mark Sense Reader, and softward which included the A-STAT statistical package, and specially developed programming to set files and make all necessary information modification to the BASIC file structure.

8) Evaluation macerials included input from students, secondary school personnel and Ivy Tech staff.

VI. RESEARCH ANALYSIS PROCEDURES

Our letter stating the goals and availability of the Career Planning Survey was sent to the Directors of Guidance at all Secondary schools in Region Eight. (See Section VII. B.) Of these, eight voiced enthusiasm for having the instrument administered in their schools. Funded personnel then scheduled meetings with the Directors and any pertinent staff at the school, and determined if any changes were desired in the basic instrument (addition or deletion of questions, change of order, etc.) Tri West Hendricks High School, Franklin Central, and Greenfield Central made substantive changes in the survey form to fit their particular needs and special career guidance activities.

During the initial meetings, the sample size and composition for each school were finalized. Franklin, Greenfield, Monrovia and Tri West chose to survey their entire school population, while other samples varied from an entire class to selected sections of English or Social Studies classes, or Study Hall groupings.

Following these meetings the instruments were prepared and mailed or delivered to the participant schools. Training materials (See Section VII. B) were delivered, and staff made available to train school personnel in administering the form. Project staff did not administer any of the forms, as was our goal, to evaluate ease of delivery of the instrument. Extensive training with the lead educator in each school was conducted, however. Forms were delivered to schools from December through March, depending upon time available at the schools for testing. Schools were encouraged to keep their copies of the survey form to be able to administer the instrument at a future time without intervention by project staff.

Completed survey forms (N = 3533) were entered into an Apple II 64K computer through use of a ScanTron Mark-Sense reader. Files were ordered by school, and group statistics generated. As with the 1982-83 project, descriptive statistics were produced (frequencies of response and raw number responses). Our measures of significance for the terms of this project were decided on an apriori basis. Given the limited utility of sophisticated statistical analysis for such a large sample size, it was determined that a ten percent difference in response would be "significant" in terms of the number of students effected.

In addition to aggregate statistics, subgroups were defined by grade level for return to the school (for an example of a complete package, see Greenfield Central results in Section VII. A). This breakdown allows individualized guidance or intervention strategies to be developed by class. It also allows schools to pinpoint where particular career guidance techniques are most effective.

Guidance personnel in the sample voiced approval for the level of statistical analysis provided. Most were not interested in chi square statistics or multiple path regression analysis, but wanted the data organized in easily interpretable commonly understandable form. Further analysis of the results has been offered to all schools involved as desired. Diskettes with the entire data set and descriptive statistics were also made available to schools which might desire further analysis.

Another potential use for the data gathered during the funded research project is for future archival research. The data base now in storage contains information on aspects of career decisionmaking and information processing in sufficient quantity to be useful in further in-depth analysis.

VII. A. SURVEY RESULTS

The following section consists of information reports from the analysis of data collected in the Secondary School survey. Included are: The overall results of combined survey forms (where applicable, some questions were not on all forms); the individual reports for each participating school; the entire package for Greenfield Central High School, including individual grade reports and the cumulative total report. A sample form of each type used in included in Section VII. B. as a result of the research project (Objective 1). Selected findings are presented in Section VII. C.

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CAREER PLANNING SURVEY

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THE COMBINED RESULTS OF 8 HIGH SCHOOLS
STUDENT SURVEYS

This survey was prepared by Indiana Vocational Technical College through the cooperation of the Indiana State Board of Vocational and Technical Education, 1982.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SURVEY
Number of Responses = 3,533
? Denotes No Response

1. Grade

a.	8th	278	7.9%
b.	9th	716	20.3%
c.	10th	910	25.8%
d.	11th	953	27.0%
e.	12th	572	16.2%

2. Sex

a.	Male	1747	49.4$
b.	Female	1699	48.1%

3. Race/Ethnic Group

a.	Asian-American, Oriental	67	2.0%
b.	Black, Afro-American	96	2.8%
c.	White, Caucasian	3200	90.6%
d.	Other	109	3.1%

4. In what type of high school program are you enrolled?

a.	General	1518	43.0%
b.	College Preparatory	1442	40.8%
c.	Vocational/Technical	299	8.5%
d.	Other	294	8.3%

5. How many different careers are you <u>seriously</u> considering at this time?

a.	None	427	12.1%
b.	One	971	27.5%
c.	Two	1408	39.9%
d.	Three	523	14.8%
e.	Four or more	150	4.2%

PLEASE LIST THESE CAREER AREAS IN THE BLANK SPACE ON YOUR ANSWER SHEET.

6. Do you plan to continue your education past high school?

a.	Yes, definitely	1716	48.6%
b.	I think so	805	22.8%
c.	I don't know	597	16.9%
d.	I don't think so	148	4.2%
e.	No	238	6.7%

7. What type of school are you considering?
(Check all that apply)

a. A state supported vocational or technical college (such as Ivy Tech) 641 19.1%
b. A two-year college (such as Vincennes University) 274 8.2%
c. An extension campus of a college or university (for example IUPUI) 335 10.0%
d. A university or four-year college (such as Purdue, Marian College) 1247 27.2%
e. A private, for-profit school (such as Lincoln Tech, Lockyear College) 207 6.2%
?) 177 5.3%

8. Do you work outside of school hours?

a. Yes 1365 40.7%
b. No 2100 62.6%

9. If yes, is your job in a career area you are interested in?

a. Yes 499 14.9%
b. No 1609 48.0%
?) 886 26.4%

In evaluating possible careers, how important to you are the following job characteristics?

(Please mark the most appropriate answer)

	A VERY IMPORTANT	B SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	C NOT VERY IMPORTANT	D NOT AT ALL IMPORTANT
10.	Job Duties	A) 2254 73.2%	B) 360 18.2%	C) ---- -----
11.	Friends' opinion of the job	A) 240 7.8%	B) 770 25.0%	C) 1126 36.6% D) 681 22.1%
12.	Kind of people I'll work with	A) 1165 37.8%	B) 1447 47.0%	C) 278 9.0% D) 63 2.0%
13.	Parent's opinion	A) 786 25.5%	B) 1454 47.2%	C) 495 16.1% D) 221 7.2%
14.	Status or prestige of the job	A) 966 31.4%	B) 1336 43.4%	C) 492 16.0% D) 168 5.5% ?) 36
15.	Job security	A) 1967 63.9%	B) 716 23.2%	C) 133 4.3% D) 21
16.	Like to work outdoors	A) 426 13.8%	B) 867 28.1%	C) 1061 34.4% D) 377 12.2% ?) 38
17.	Money	A) 1942 63.1%	B) 1003 32.6%	C) 28

** Number of Responses for questions 10 - 17 = 3,080.

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information on careers and training have been to you:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT VERY HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
18. Career Days	A) 715 21.3%	B) 1369 40.8%	C) 466 13.9%	D) 878 26.2%
19. Projections of job demand	A) 794 23.7%	B) 1311 39.1%	C) 586 17.5%	D) 710 22.2%
20. Brochures and other materials from colleges	A) 952 28.4%	B) 1342 40.0%	C) 558 16.6%	D) 774 23.1% ?) 74 2.2%
21. High school courses	A) 1663 49.6%	B) 1162 34.7%	C) 357 10.6%	D) 389 11.6%
22. Information on specific jobs	A) 1329 39.6%	B) 1374 41.0%	C) 461 13.7%	D) 366 10.9% ?) 33
23. College speakers	A) 486 13.8%	B) 1104 31.2%	C) 691 19.6%	D) 985 27.9% ?) 75
24. Information about career areas	A) 1034 29.3%	B) 1494 42.3%	C) 448 12.7%	D) 344 9.7% ?) 42
25. General information on types of post high school training available	A) 740 20.9%	B) 1328 37.6%	C) 683 19.3%	D) 660 18.7%
26. Computerized career information	A) 519 14.7%	B) 901 25.5%	C) 742 21.0%	D) 1291 36.5% ?) 60

27. Have you decided on a career?

a.	Yes	1825	51.7%
b.	No	1527	43.2%
	?)	151	4.3%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE DECIDED ON YOUR CHOSEN CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS. IF YOU HAVE NOT, SKIP TO QUESTION 41.

Please list what occupation you have decided to pursue on the Answer Sheet and underline.

28. How sure are you of your decision?

a.	Very sure	706	20.0%
b.	Pretty sure	1085	30.7%
c.	Not too sure	219	6.2%
d.	Not sure at all	39	
	?)	1264	35.8%

29. - 30. When would you say you first knew what occupation you were interested in?

247	7.0%	Before 6th Grade 29a	9th Grade 30a	579	16.4%
159	4.5%	6th Grade 29b	10th Grade 30b	426	12.1%
268	7.6%	7th Grade 29c	11th Grade 30c	296	8.4%
372	10.5%	8th Grade 29d	12th Grade 30d	130	3.7%
1323	37.4%			1958	55.4%

31. What type of training do people need to be competitive in your career area?

a.	High School Diploma or less	241	6.8%
b.	H. S. Diploma + 1 Year Vocational Training	274	7.8%
c.	H. S. Diploma + 2 Years Vocational Training	446	12.6%
d.	H. S. Diploma + 2-Year University Degree	235	6.7%
e.	H. S. Diploma + 4-Year University Degree	814	23.0%

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information about jobs and careers were to you when you were choosing your career:

A VERY HELPFUL B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL C NOT HELPFUL D I HAVEN'T USED THIS

32.	TV and/or radio ads	A)	185	6.0%	B)	452	14.7%	C)	628	20.4%
		D)	322	10.5%	?)	1105	32.7%			
33.	Parents or relatives	A)	572	16.9%	B)	771	22.8%	C)	299	8.8%
		D)	44		?)	1102	32.6%			
34.	Friends	A)	268	7.9%	B)	723	21.4%	C)	579	17.1%
		D)	135	4.0%	?)	1007	29.8%			
35.	High school teacher	A)	360	10.7%	B)	613	18.1%	C)	503	14.9%
		D)	207	6.1%	?)	1110	32.8%			
36.	High school guidance counselor	A)	312	9.2%	B)	548	16.2%	C)	509	15.1%
		D)	331	9.8%	?)	1112	32.9%			
37.	School career day or similar program	A)	350	10.4%	B)	431	12.8%	C)	428	12.7%
		D)	527	15.6%	?)	1112	32.9%			
38.	Brochures or materials from college and schools	A)	384	12.5%	B)	607	19.7%	C)	329	10.7%
		D)	252	11.4%	?)	509	16.5%			
39.	A job I have or have had	A)	235	7.6%	B)	271	8.8%	C)	403	13.1%
		D)	606	19.7%	?)	1130	36.7%			
40.	High school courses	A)	636	20.6%	B)	596	19.4%	C)	263	8.5%
		D)	170	5.5%	?)	1137	36.9%			

** Number of Responses for questions 32 - 40 = 3,080.

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE NOT DECIDED ON A CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS.

41. Do you feel you have all the information you need to decide on a career?

a.	Yes, definitely	216	6.1%
b.	Yes, but only partially	521	14.7%
c.	No, but I have some	945	26.7%
d.	No, not at all	370	10.4%
	?)	1259	35.6%

42. What factors have kept you from deciding?

a.	I don't know where to go for help.	250	7.1%
b.	I don't have the time.	216	6.1%
c.	I don't want to make my decision this early.	798	22.6%
d.	I don't have enough information	568	16.1%
e.	I know I'll find a job somewhere.	419	11.9%

43. By what time do you feel you should decide?

a.	9th grade	210	6.1%
b.	10th grade	335	9.5%
c.	11th grade	560	15.8%
d.	12th grade	540	15.3%
e.	After high school	519	14.7%

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Administered by:

Ben Davis High School
Indianapolis, Indiana

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BEN DAVIS HIGH SCHOOL
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SURVEY
Number of Responses = 453

1. Grade

a.	8th	---	-----
b.	9th	---	-----
c.	10th	244	53.9%
d.	11th	131	28.9%
e.	12th	56	12.4%

2. Sex

a.	Male	240	53.0%
b.	Female	180	39.7%

3. Race/Ethnic Group

a.	Asian-American, Oriental	24	5.3%
b.	Black, Afro-American	21	4.6%
c.	White, Caucasian	394	87.0%
d.	Other	13	2.9%

4. In what type of high school program are you enrolled?

a.	General	238	52.5%
b.	College Preparatory	110	24.3%
c.	Vocational/Technical	86	19.0%
d.	Other	15	3.3%

5. How many different careers are you <u>seriously</u> considering at this time?

a.	None	64	14.1%
b.	One	115	25.4%
c.	Two	174	38.4%
d.	Three	86	19.0%
e.	Four or more	33	7.3%

PLEASE LIST THESE CAREER AREAS IN THE BLANK SPACE ON YOUR ANSWER SHEET.

6. Do you plan to continue your education past high school?

a.	Yes, definitely	160	35.3%
b.	I think so	119	26.3%
c.	I don't know	96	21.2%
d.	I don't think so	27	6.0%
e.	No	54	11.9%

7. What type of school are you considering?
(Check all that apply)

114	25.2%	a. A state supported vocational or technical college (such as Ivy Tech)
73	16.1%	b. A two-year college (such as Vincennes University)
65	14.3%	c. An extension campus of a college or university (for example IUPUI)
96	21.2%	d. A university or four-year college (such as Purdue, Marian College)
33	7.3%	e. A private, for-profit school (such as Lincoln Tech, Lockyear College)

8. Do you work outside of school hours?

a.	Yes	217	48.0%
b.	No	232	51.3%

9. If yes, is your job in a career area you are interested in?

a.	Yes	72	16.0%
b.	No	268	59.1%

In evaluating possible careers, how important to you are the following job characteristics?

(Please mark the most appropriate answer)

	A VERY IMPORTANT	B SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	C NOT VERY IMPORTANT	D NOT AT ALL IMPORTANT
10.	Job Duties	A) 344 76.0%	B) 92 21.3%	C) -- -- D) -- --
11.	Friends' opinion of the job	A) 57 12.5%	B) 136 30.0%	C) 153 33.7% D) 100 20.0%
12.	Kind of people I'll work with	A) 200 44.1%	B) 200 44.1%	C) 42 9.3% D) -- --
13.	Parent's opinion	A) 121 26.8%	B) 208 46.0%	C) 74 16.4% D) 37 8.1%
14.	Status or prestige of the job	A) 177 39.4%	B) 181 40.0%	C) 69 15.2% D) 24 5.3%
15.	Job security	A) 323 71.3%	B) 109 24.1%	C) 24 5.3% D) -- --
16.	Like to work outdoors	A) 113 25.0%	B) 118 26.2%	C) 154 34.0% D) 56 12.3%
17.	Money	A) 291 64.3%	B) 136 33.0%	C) -- -- D) 14 3.1%

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information on careers and training have been to you:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT VERY HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
18. Career Days	A) 100 22.0%	B) 154 34.0%	C) 55 12.2%	D) 127 28.1%
19. Projections of job demand	A) 97 21.5%	B) 160 35.4%	C) 74 16.3%	D) 105 23.1%
20. Brochures and other materials from colleges	A) 93 20.6%	B) 172 38.0%	C) 81 17.8%	D) 114 25.2%
21. High school courses	A) 231 51.0%	B) 142 31.3%	C) 43 9.6%	D) 18 4.0%
22. Information on specific jobs	A) 172 38.0%	B) 172 38.0%	C) 55 12.2%	D) 43 9.4%
23. College speakers	A) 63 14.0%	B) 136 30.1%	C) 95 20.9%	D) 135 29.8%
24. Information about career areas	A) 105 23.2%	B) 188 41.6%	C) 48 10.7%	D) 63 13.8%
25. General information on types of post high school training available	A) 102 22.6%	B) 169 37.2%	C) 80 17.7%	D) 91 20.0%
26. Computerized career information	A) 74 16.4%	B) 107 23.7%	C) 91 20.2%	D) 152 33.5%

27. Have you decided on a career?

a.	Yes	245	54.2%
b.	No	177	37.3%
	?)	40	8.5%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE DECIDED ON YOUR CHOSEN CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS. IF YOU HAVE NOT, SKIP TO QUESTION 41.

Please list what occupation you have decided to pursue on the Answer Sheet and underline.

28. How sure are you of your decision?

a.	Very sure	107	23.6%
b.	Pretty sure	135	29.7%
c.	Not too sure	40	8.7%
d.	Not sure at all	22	4.9%

29. - 30. When would you say you first knew what occupation you were interested in?

42	9.3%	Before 6th Grade	29a	9th Grade	30a	92	20.1%
39	8.6%	6th Grade	29b	10th Grade	30b	91	20.0%
34	7.6%	7th Grade	29c	11th Grade	30c	48	10.6%
45	9.9%	8th Grade	29d	12th Grade	30d	22	4.9%

31. What type of training do people need to be competitive in your career area?

51	11.3%	a. High School Diploma or less
47	10.3%	b. H. S. Diploma + 1 Year Vocational Training
72	15.9%	c. H. S. Diploma + 2 Years Vocational Training
32	7.1%	d. H. S. Diploma + 2-Year University Degree
60	13.2%	e. H. S. Diploma + 4-Year University Degree

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information about jobs and careers were to you when you were choosing your career:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
32. TV and/or radio ads	A) 37 8.2%	B) 54 12.0%	C) 101 22.2%	D) 35 7.8%
33. Parents or relatives	A) 96 21.4%	B) 104 23.0%	C) 40 8.9%	D) -- --
34. Friends	A) 55 12.8%	B) 109 23.9%	C) 59 13.2%	D) 10 2.3%
35. High school teacher	A) 54 11.8%	B) 109 23.9%	C) 63 13.7%	D) --
36. High school guidance counselor	A) 68 15.0%	B) 50 11.2%	C) 95 20.9%	D) 27 5.9%
37. School career day or similar program	A) 41 9.4%	B) 77 17.0%	C) 68 15.0%	D) 55 12.5%
38. Brochures or materials from college and school	A) 45 9.8%	B) 95 20.9%	C) 48 11.0%	D) 41 9.4%
39. A job I have or have had	A) 41 9.4%	B) 59 13.1%	C) 55 12.5%	D) 14 3.5%
40. High school courses	A) 122 27.2%	B) 86 19.0%	C) 18 3.8%	D) 13 3.5%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE NOT DECIDED ON A CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS.

41. Do you feel you have all the information you need to decide on a career?

a.	Yes, definitely	47	10.4%
b.	Yes, but only partially	74	16.4%
c.	No, but I have some	125	27.6%
d.	No, not at all	41	9.0%

42. What factors have kept you from deciding?

a.	I don't know where to go for help.	47	10.4%
b.	I don't have the time.	44	9.8%
c.	I don't want to make my decision this early.	96	21.2%
d.	I don't have enough information.	80	17.6%
e.	I know I'll find a job somewhere.	19	4.2%

43. By what time do you feel you should decide?

a.	9th grade	24	5.4%
b.	10th grade	38	8.4%
c.	11th grade	78	17.3%
d.	12th grade	88	19.6%
e.	After high school	53	11.8%

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CAREER PLANNING SURVEY

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Administered by:

Chatard High School
Indianapolis, Indiana

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CHATARD HIGH SCHOOL
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SURVEY
Number of Respondents = 196
? Denotes No Response

1. Grade

a.	8th	---	----
b.	9th	---	----
c.	10th	---	----
d.	11th	189	96.4%
e.	12th	3	1.5%

2. Sex

a.	Male	111	56.6%
b.	Female	80	40.8%

3. Race/Ethnic Group

a.	Asian-American, Oriental	---	----
b.	Black, Afro-American	30	15.3%
c.	White, Caucasian	155	79.1%
d.	Other	5	2.6%

4. In what type of high school program are you enrolled?

a.	General	20	10.2%
b.	College Preparatory	173	88.3%
c.	Vocational/Technical	---	----
d.	Other	---	----

5. How many different careers are you seriously considering at this time?

a.	None	19	9.7%
b.	One	40	20.4%
c.	Two	81	41.3%
d.	Three	37	18.9%
e.	Four or more	14	7.1%

PLEASE LIST THESE CAREER AREAS IN THE BLANK SPACE ON YOUR ANSWER SHEET.

6. Do you plan to continue your education past high school?

a.	Yes, definitely	148	75.5%
b.	I think so	36	18.4%
c.	I don't know	8	4.1%
d.	I don't think so	---	----
e.	No	---	----

7. What type of school are you considering?
(Check all that apply)

a.	A state supported vocational or technical college (such as Ivy Tech)	10	5.1%
b.	A two-year college (such as Vincennes University)	3	1.5%
c.	An extension campus of a college or university (for example IUPUI)	13	6.6%
d.	A university or four-year college (such as Purdue, Marian College)	129	65.8%
e.	A private, for-profit school (such as Lincoln Tech, Lockyear College)	---	----
	?)	41	20.9%

8. Do you work outside of school hours?

a.	Yes	122	62.2%
b.	No	72	36.7%

9. If yes, is your job in a career area you are interested in?

a.	Yes	25	12.8%
b.	No	112	57.1%
	?)	58	29.6%

In evaluating possible careers, how important to you are the following job characteristics?

(Please mark the most appropriate answer)

	A VERY IMPORTANT	B SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	C NOT VERY IMPORTANT	D NOT AT ALL IMPORTANT
10.	Job Duties	A) 152 77.6%	B) 35 17.9%	C)--- ----
		D) --- ----	?) 6 3.1%	
11.	Friends' opinion of the job	A) 6 3.1%	B) 52 26.5%	C) 82 41.8%
		D) 50 25.5%		
12.	Kind of people I'll work with	A) 78 39.8%	B) 93 47.4%	C) 18 9.2%
		D) --- ----		
13.	Parent's opinion	A) 36 18.4%	B)108 55.1%	C) 35 17.9%
		D) 13 6.6%		
14.	Status or prestige of the job	A) 49 25.0%	B) 96 49.0%	C) 37 18.9%
		D) 10 5.1%		
15.	Job security	A) 138 70.4%	B) 52 26.6%	C)--- ----
16.	Like to work outdoors	A) 22 11.2%	B) 49 25.0%	C) 86 43.9%
		D) 31 15.8%		
17.	Money	A) 114 58.2%	B) 68 34.7%	C) 7 3.6%
		D) --- ----		

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information on careers and training have been to you:

	A VERY HELPFUL		B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL		C NOT VERY HELPFUL		D I HAVEN'T USED THIS			
18. Career Days	18. A)	29	14.8%	B) 56	28.6%	C) 29	14.8%	D) 78	39.8%	
19. Projections of job demand	19. A)	44	22.4%	B) 76	38.8%	C) 39	19.9%	D) 31	15.8%	
20. Brochures and other materials from colleges	20. A)	57	29.1%	B) 78	39.8%	C) 20	10.2%	D) 35	17.9%	
21. High school courses	21. A)	82	41.8%	B) 83	42.3%	C) 22	11.2%	D) 8	4.1%	
22. Information on specific jobs	22. A)	67	34.2%	B) 75	38.3%	C) 19	9.7%	D) 30	15.3%	
23. College speakers	23. A)	30	15.3%	B) 55	28.1%	C) 30	15.3%	D) 73	37.2%	
24. Information about career areas	24. A)	70	35.7%	B) 71	36.2%	C) 24	12.2%	D) 29	14.8%	
25. General information on types of post high school training available	25. A)	31	15.8%	B) 66	33.7%	C) 34	17.3	D) 58	29.6%	
26. Computerized career information	26. A)	24	12.2%	B) 52	26.6%	C) 25	12.8%	D) 87	44.4%	

27. Have you decided on a career?

a. Yes	97	49.5%
b. No	93	47.4%
?)	6	3.1%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE DECIDED ON YOUR CHOSEN CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS. IF YOU HAVE NOT, SKIP TO QUESTION 41.

Please list what occupation you have decided to pursue on the Answer Sheet and underline.

28. How sure are you of your decision?

a. Very sure	25	12.8%
b. Pretty sure	74	37.8%
c. Not too sure	13	6.6%
d. Not sure at all	--	----
?)	83	42.3%

29. - 30. When would you say you first knew what occupation you were interested in?

13	6.6%	Before 6th Grade	29a	9th Grade	30a	27	13.8%
6	3.1%	6th Grade	29b	10th Grade	30b	34	17.3%
--	----	7th Grade	29c	11th Grade	30c	22	11.2%
16	8.2%	8th Grade	29d	12th Grade	30d	--	----
)156	79.6%					?)109	55.6%

31. What type of training do people need to be competitive in your career area?

a.	High School Diploma or less	--	----
b.	H. S. Diploma + 1 Year Vocational Training	--	----
c.	H. S. Diploma + 2 Years Vocational Training	7	3.6%
d.	H. S. Diploma + 2-Year University Degree	--	----
e.	H. S. Diploma + 4-Year University Degree	47	24.0%
		?) 130	66.3%

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information about jobs and careers were to you when you were choosing your career:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
32. TV and/or radio ads	A) 11 5.6%	B) 21 10.7%	C) 52 26.5%	D) 28 14.3% ?) 82 41.8%
33. Parents or relatives	A) 42 21.4%	B) 56 28.6%	C) 11 5.6%	D) -- ---- ?) 82 41.8%
34. Friends	A) 10 5.1%	B) 54 27.6%	C) 38 19.4%	D) 11 5.6% ?) 83 42.3%
35. High school teacher	A) 17 8.7%	B) 42 21.4%	C) 33 16.8%	D) 21 10.7% ?) 82 41.8%
36. High school guidance counselor	A) 7 3.6%	B) 31 15.8%	C) 42 21.4%	D) 32 16.3% ?) 82 41.8%
37. School career day or similar program	A) 9 4.6%	B) 22 11.2%	C) 27 13.8%	D) 50 25.5% ?) 82 41.8%
38. Brochures or materials from college and schools	A) 28 14.3%	B) 39 19.9%	C) 17 8.7%	D) 27 13.8% ?) 84 42.9%
39. A job I have or have had	A) 16 8.2%	B) 23 11.7%	C) 31 15.8%	D) 38 19.4% ?) 82 41.8%
40. High school courses	A) 45 23.0%	B) 42 21.4%	C) 19 9.7%	D) -- ---- ?) 83 42.3%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE NOT DECIDED ON A CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS.

41. Do you feel you have all the information you need to decide on a career?

a.	Yes, definitely	--	----
b.	Yes, but only partially	24	12.2%
c.	No, but I have some	44	22.4%
d.	No, not at all	39	19.9%
	?)	84	42.9%

42. What factors have kept you from deciding?

a.	I don't know where to go for help.	17	8.7%
b.	I don't have the time.	--	----
c.	I don't want to make my decision this early.	30	15.3%
d.	I don't have enough information	49	25.0%
e.	I know I'll find a job somewhere.	97	49.5%
	?)		

43. By what time do you feel you should decide?

a.	9th grade	--	----
b.	10th grade	--	----
c.	11th grade	12	6.1%
d.	12th grade	51	26.0%
e.	After high school	30	15.3%
	?)	99	50.5%

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CAREER PLANNING SURVEY

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Administered by:
Franklin Community High School
Franklin, Indiana

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FRANKLIN CENTRAL
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SURVEY
N of Responses = 609
? = No Answer

1. Grade

a.	8th		
b.	9th	136	22.3%
c.	10th	175	28.7%
d.	11th	173	28.4%
e.	12th	121	19.9%

2. Sex

a.	Male	283	45.5
b.	Female	314	51.6

3. Race/Ethnic Group

a.	Asian-American, Oriental	16	2.6%
b.	Black, Afro-America	12	2.0%
c.	White, Caucasian	559	91.8%
d.	Other	16	2.4%

4. In what type of high school program are you enrolled?

a.	General	255	41.9%
b.	College Preparatory	206	33.8%
c.	Vocational/Technical	67	11.0%
d.	Business	48	7.9%
e.	Other	24	3.9%

5. What is your approximate grade point average?
(If less than 1.5, leave blank)

a.	3.5 - 4.0	58	9.5%		
b.	3.0 - 3.4	185	30.4%		
c.	2.5 - 2.9	226	37.1%	? 30	4.9%
d.	2.0 - 2.4	77	12.6%		
e.	1.5 - 1.9	33	5.4%		

6. What is your class schedule this semester?

a.	6 periods with a study hall	20	3.3%
b.	6 periods without a study hall	281	46.1%
c.	Released 6th period	223	36.6%
d.	Released 5th and 6th periods	77	12.6%

7. During your Senior year, how many extracurricular activities have you participated in?

a.	None	127	20.9%		
b.	One	50	8.2%		
c.	Two	53	8.7%	? 295	48.4%
d.	Three	40	6.6%		
e.	Four or more	34	5.6%		

8. How many different careers are you seriously considering at this time?

a.	None	47	7.7%
b.	One	193	37.7%
c.	Two	262	43.0%
d.	Three	74	12.2%
e.	Four or more	--	--

PLEASE LIST THESE CAREER AREAS IN THE BLANK SPACE ON YOUR ANSWER SHEET.

9. Do you plan to continue your education past high school?

a.	Yes, definitely	284	46.6%
b.	I think so	141	23.2%
c.	I don't know	109	17.9%
d.	I don't think so	27	4.4%
e.	No	43	7.1

10. What type of school are you considering?
(Check all that apply)

a.	A state supported vocational or technical college (such as Ivy Tech)	98	16.1%
b.	A two-year college (such as Vincennces University)	36	5.9%
c.	An extension campus of a college or university (for example IUPUI)	26	4.3%
d.	A university or four-year college (such as Purdue, Indiana University)	225	36.9%
e.	A private, for-profit school (such as Lincoln Tech, ITT Technical Institute, Indiana Business College)	47	7.7%
	?)	177	29.1%

11. If you do not plan to continue your formal education, what are your plans?

a.	Enter an apprenticeship program	17	2.8
b.	Work full-time	127	20.9%
c.	Get married	45	7.4%
d.	Join the armed forces	79	13.0%
e.	I don't know what I'll do	63	10.3%
	?)	278	45.6%

12. Do you work outside of school hours?

a.	Yes	244	40.0%
b.	No	348	57.1%

13. If yes, is your job in a career area you are interested in?

a.	Yes	97	15.9%
b.	No	215	35.3%
	?)	288	45.3%

14. If you do work, what type of job do you have?

a.	Secretarial or clerical office	17	2.8%
b.	Labor or semi-skilled work	88	14.4%
c.	Retail sales (fast foods, consumer goods)	88	14.4%
d.	Skilled labor or apprenticeship	22	3.6%
e.	Farm labor	39	6.4%
		?) 288	47.3%

In evaluating possible careers, how important to you are the following job characteristics?

(Please mark the most appropriate answer)

	A VERY IMPORTANT	B SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	C NOT VERY IMPORTANT	D NOT AT ALL IMPORTANT
15.	Job Duties	A) 444 72.9%	B) 119 19.5%	C) 24 3.9%
		D) --- ---	?) --- --	
16.	Friends' opinion of the job	A) 39 6.4%	B) 170 27.9%	C) 236 38.8%
		D) 141 23.2%	?) --- --	
17.	Kind of people I'll work with	A) 227 37.3%	B) 308 50.6%	C) 42 6.9%
		D) -- --	?) -- --	
18.	Parent's opinion	A) 140 23.0%	B) 311 51.1%	C) 108 17.8%
		D) 33 5.4%	?) -- ---	
19.	Status or prestige of the job	A) 150 24.6%	B) 296 48.6%	C) 113 18.6%
		D) 32 5.3%	?) -- --	
20.	Job security	A) 288 47.3%	B) 157 25.8%	C) 31 5.8%
		D) -- --	?) -- --	
21.	Like to work outdoors	A) 112 18.4%	B) 170 27.9%	C) 231 37.9%
		D) 73 12.0%	?) -- --	
22.	Money	A) 356 58.4%	B) 308 50.6%	C) -- --
		D) -- --	?) -- --	

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information on careers and training have been to you:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT VERY HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
23.	Career Days	A) 86 14.1%	B) 176 28.9%	C) 59 10.0%
		D) 255 41.9%	?) -- --	
24.	Projections of job demand	A) 122 20.0%	B) 208 34.2%	C) 88 14.4%
		D) 159 26.1%	?) 31 5.1%	
25.	Brochures and other materials from colleges	A) 125 20.5%	B) 221 36.3%	C) 76 12.5%
		D) 155 25.4%	?) 30 4.9%	
26.	High school courses	A) 284 46.6%	B) 183 30.0%	C) 59 9.7%
		D) 50 8.2%	?) -- --	
27.	Information on specific jobs	A) 229 37.6%	B) 221 36.3%	C) 63 10.3%
		D) 74 12.2%	?) 33 5.4%	

28.	College speakers	A)	64	10.5%	B)	171	28.1%	C)	106	17.4%
		D)	232	38.1%	?)	33	5.4%			
29.	Information about career areas	A)	200	32.8%	B)	234	38.4%	C)	73	12.0
		D)	--	--	?)	--	--			
30.	General information on types of post high school training available	A)	136	22.3%	B)	214	35.1%	C)	123	20.2%
		D)	106	17.4%	?)	26	4.3%			
31.	Computerized career information	A)	89	14.6%	B)	135	22.2%	C)	214	35.1%
		D)	236	38.8%	?)					

32. Have you decided on a career?

a.	Yes	357	58.6%
b.	No	231	38.0%

33. When I met with a counselor at Franklin High, I usually received:

a.	No help	55	9.0%
b.	Little help	234	38.4%
c.	A lot of help	155	25.4%
d.	All that I needed	136	22.3%

34. Based on my career plans, my classes at Franklin have prepared me:

a.	Very well	86	14.1%
b.	Well	210	34.5%
c.	Adequately	212	34.8%
d.	Insufficiently	42	6.9%
e.	Poorly	26	4.3%

35. Please mark how helpful the following subjects have been to you in making your career plans.

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT VERY HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T HAD ANY OF THESE CLASSES
36. English	A) 186 30.5%	B) 224 36.8%	C) 168 27.6%	D) -- ---
37. Social Studies	A) 87 14.3%	B) 156 25.6%	C) 235 38.6%	D) 99 16.3%
38. Math	A) 277 45.5%	B) 171 28.1%	C) 132 21.7%	D) -- --
39. Science	A) 174 28.6%	B) 177 29.1%	C) 196 32.2%	D) 34 5.6%
40. Foreign Languages	A) 60 9.9%	B) 123 20.2%	C) 138 22.7%	D) 249 40.4%

41.	Business	A) 181	29.7%	B) 124	20.4%	C) 88	14.4%
		D) 183	30.0%	?) --	--		
42.	Industrial Arts	A) 92	15.1%	B) 78	12.8%	C) 106	17.4%
		D) 284	46.6%	?) 41	7.6%		
43.	Home Economics	A) 46	7.6%	B) 87	14.3%	C) 133	21.8%
		D) 294	48.3%	?) --	--		
44.	Art	A) 45	7.4%	B) 41	6.7%	C) 104	17.1%
		D) 266	43.7%	?) 42	6.9%		
45.	Agriculture	A) 28	4.6%	B) 33	5.4%	C) 78	12.8%
		D) 415	68.1%	?) --	--		
46.	Health and Phys. Ed.	A) 72	11.8%	B) 159	26.1%	C) 299	49.1%
		D) 52	8.5%	?) --	--		
47.	Guidance	A) 43	5.7%	B) 132	21.7%	C) 167	27.4%
		D) 225	36.9%	?) --	--		
48.	Music	A) 55	9.0%	B) 62	10.2%	C) 123	20.2%
		D) 222	36.5%	?) --	--		

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE DECIDED ON YOUR CHOSEN CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS. IF YOU HAVE NOT, SKIP TO QUESTION 62.

Please list what occupation you have decided to pursue on the Answer Sheet and underline.

49. How sure are you of your decision?

a.	Very sure	143	23.5%
b.	Pretty sure	205	33.7%
c.	Not too sure	21	3.4%
d.	Not sure at all	--	--
		?) 232	38.1%

50 - 51. When would you say you first knew what occupation you were interested in?

35	5.7%	Before 6th Grade 50a	9th Grade 51a	129	21.2%
23	3.8%	6th Grade 50b	10th Grade 51b	84	13.8%
34	5.6%	7th Grade 50c	11th Grade 51c	56	9.2%
62	9.9%	8th Grade 50d	12th Grade 51d	24	3.9
			?)	454	75.4

52. What type of training do people need to be competitive in your career area?

a.	High School Diploma or less	41	6.7%
b.	H. S. Diploma + 1 Year Vocational Training	56	9.2%
c.	H. S. Diploma + 2 Years Vocatinal Training	91	14.9%
d.	H. S. Diploma + 2-Year University Degree	34	5.6%
e.	H. S. Diploma + 4-Year University Degree	136	22.3%
	?)	229	37.6%

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information about jobs and careers were to you when you were choosing your career:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
53. TV and/or radio ads	A) 32 5.3%	B) 109 17.9%	C) 156 25.6%	D) 79 13.0%
	?) 229 57.6%			
54. Parents or relatives	A) 127 20.8%	B) 192 29.9%	C) 51 8.4%	D) 23 3.8%
	?) 226 37.1%			
55. Friends	A) 63 10.3%	B) 165 27.1%	C) 124 20.3%	D) 30 4.9%
	?) 126 20.7%			
56. High school teacher	A) 88 14.4%	B) 138 22.7%	C) 113 18.6%	D) 38 6.2%
	?) 231 37.9%			
57. High school guidance counselor	A) 58 9.5%	B) 118 19.4%	C) 139 22.8%	D) 63 10.3%
	?) 230 37.8%			
58. School career day or similar program	A) 38 6.2%	B) 86 14.1%	C) 84 13.1%	D) 167 27.4%
	?) 231 37.9%			
59. Brochures or materials from college and schools	A) 85 14.0%	B) 132 21.7%	C) 64 10.5%	D) 90 14.8%
	?) 236 38.8%			
60. A job I have or have had	A) 60 9.9%	B) 49 8.0%	C) 85 14.0%	D) 173 28.4%
	?) 238 39.1%			
61. High school courses	A) 133 21.8%	B) 133 21.8%	C) 65 10.7%	D) 31 5.1%
	?) 244 40.0%			

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE NOT DECIDED ON A CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS.

62. Do you feel you have all the information you need to decide on a career?

a.	Yes, definitely	39	6.4%
b.	Yes, but only partially	84	13.8%
c.	No, but I have some	119	19.5%
d.	No, not at all	54	8.9%
	?)	311	51.1%

63. What factors have kept you from deciding?

a.	I don't know where to go for help.	27	4.4%
b.	I don't have the time.	29	4.8%
c.	I don't want to make my decision this early.	106	17.4%
d.	I don't have enough information.	95	15.6%
e.	I know I'll find a job somewhere.		

64. By what time do you feel people should make their choice of careers?

a.	9th grade	77	12.6%
b.	10th grade	60	9.9%
c.	11th grade	79	13.0%
d.	12th grade	59	9.7%
e.	After high school	31	5.1%
		?)346	49.8%

Please feel free to write any comments or suggestions on how Franklin High School provides career information to students. Use the blank section of your Answer Sheet.

Thank you.

IVY TECH

CAREER PLANNING SURVEY

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Administered by:

Greenfield Central High School
Greenfield, Indiana
Grade 9 - 12

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Greenfield Central High School
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SURVEY
Number of Responses = 1076

? Denotes No Answer

1. Grade

a.	8th	---	-----
b.	9th	275	25.6%
c.	10th	283	26.3%
d.	11th	259	24.1%
e.	12th	237	22.0%

2. Sex

a.	Male	492	45.7%
b.	Female	559	52.0%

3. Race/Ethnic Group

a.	Asian-American, Oriental	19	1.8%
b.	Black, Afro-American	16	1.5%
c.	White, Caucasian	992	92.2%
d.	Other	20	1.9%
	?)	26	2.4%

4. In what type of high school program are you enrolled?

a.	General	355	33.0%
b.	College Preparatory	566	52.6%
c.	Vocational/Technical	70	6.5%
d.	Other	63	5.9%

5. How many different careers are you <u>seriously</u> considering at this time?

a.	None	139	12.9%
b.	One	295	27.4%
c.	Two	440	40.9%
d.	Three	138	12.8%
e.	Four or more	39	3.6%

PLEASE LIST THESE CAREER AREAS IN THE BLANK SPACE ON YOUR ANSWER SHEET.

6. Do you plan to continue your education past high school?

a.	Yes, definitely	590	54.8%
b.	I think so	216	20.1%
c.	I don't know	152	14.1%
d.	I don't think so	45	4.2%
e.	No	60	5.6%

7. What type of school are you considering?
(Check all that apply)

a.	A state supported vocational or technical college (such as Ivy Tech)	200	18.6%
b.	A two-year college (such as Vincennes University)	71	6.6%
c.	An extension campus of a college or university (for example IUPUI)	95	8.8%
d.	A university or four-year college (such as Purdue, Marian College)	436	40.5%
e.	A private, for-profit school (such as Lincoln Tech, Lockyear College)	43	4.0%
	?)	231	21.5%

8. Do you work outside of school hours?

a.	Yes	373	34.7%
b.	No	678	63.1%

9. If yes, is your job in a career area you are interested in?

a.	Yes	129	12.0%
b.	No	536	49.8%
	?)	395	36.7%

In evaluating possible careers, how important to you are the following job characteristics?

(Please mark the most appropriate answer)

	A VERY IMPORTANT	B SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	C NOT VERY IMPORTANT	D NOT AT ALL IMPORTANT
10.	Job Duties	A) 805 74.8%	B) 166 15.4%	C) --- -----
		D) --- -----	?) 52 4.8%	
11.	Friends' opinion of the job	A) 111 10.3%	B) 303 28.2%	C) 392 36.4%
		D) 238 22.1%		
12.	Kind of people I'll work with	A) 388 36.1%	B) 537 49.9%	C) 95 8.8%
		D) 33 3.1%		
13.	Parent's opinion	A) 293 27.2%	B) 514 47.8%	C) 165 15.3%
		D) 66 6.1%	?) 33 3.1%	
14.	Status or prestige of the job	A) 332 30.9%	B) 488 45.4%	C) 164 15.2%
		D) 57 5.3%	?) 33 3.1%	
15.	Job security	A) 745 69.2%	B) 237 22.0%	C) 38 3.5%
		D) --- -----		
16.	Like to work outdoors	A) 222 20.6%	B) 312 29.0%	C) 372 34.6%
		D) 124 11.5%	?) 34 3.2%	
17.	Money	A) 684 63.6%	B) 323 30.0%	C) --- -----
		D) --- -----		

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information on careers and training have been to you:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT VERY HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
18. Career Days	A) 239 22.2%	B) 472 43.9%	C) 201 18.7%	D) 128 11.9%
19. Projections of job demand	A) 228 21.2%	B) 509 47.3%	C) 185 17.2%	D) 111 10.3%
				?) 40 3.7%
20. Brochures and other materials from colleges	A) 282 26.2%	B) 416 38.7%	C) 182 16.9%	D) 151 14.0%
				?) 39 3.6%
21. High school courses	A) 525 48.8%	B) 381 35.4%	C) 110 10.2%	D) --- -----
22. Information on specific jobs	A) 445 41.4%	B) 431 40.1%	C) 114 10.6%	D) 57 5.3%
23. College speakers	A) 170 15.8%	B) 368 34.2%	C) 236 21.9%	D) 246 22.9%
				?) 42 3.9%
24. Information about career areas	A) 325 30.2%	B) 496 46.1%	C) 141 13.1%	D) 69 6.4%
				?) 42 4.0%
25. General information on types of post high school training available	A) 221 20.5%	B) 439 40.8%	C) 229 21.3%	D) 139 12.9%
				?) 43 4.0%
26. Computerized career information	A) 188 17.5%	B) 337 31.3%	C) 207 19.2%	D) 285 26.5%
				?) 44 4.1%

27. Have you decided on a career?

a.	Yes	497	46.2%
b.	No	509	47.3%
	?)	46	4.3%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE DECIDED ON YOUR CHOSEN CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS. IF YOU HAVE NOT, SKIP TO QUESTION 41.

Please list what occupation you have decided to pursue on the Answer Sheet and underline.

28. How sure are you of your decision?

a.	Very sure	201	18.7%
b.	Pretty sure	299	27.8%
c.	Not too sure	64	6.0%
d.	Not sure at all	---	-----
	?)	486	45.2%

29. - 30. When would you say you first knew what occupation you were interested in?

61	5.7%	Before 6th Grade	29a	9th Grade	30a	164	15.2%
42	4.0%	6th Grade	29b	10th Grade	30b	105	9.8%
61	5.7%	7th Grade	29c	11th Grade	30c	94	8.7%
135	12.5%	8th Grade	29d	12th Grade	30d	43	4.0%
) 774	72.0%					?) 659	61.2%

31. What type of training do people need to be competitive in your career area?

a.	High School Diploma or less	59	5.5%
b.	H. S. Diploma + 1 Year Vocational Training	83	7.7%
c.	H. S. Diploma + 2 Years Vocational Training	123	11.4%
d.	H. S. Diploma + 2-Year University Degree	53	5.0%
e.	H. S. Diploma + 4-Year University Degree	236	22.0%
	?)	522	48.5%

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information about jobs and careers were to you when you were choosing your career:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS

32.	TV and/or radio ads	A) 52	4.8%	B) 139	12.9%	C) 256	23.8%	D) 111	10.3%	?) 513	47.7%
33.	Parents or relatives	A) 153	14.2%	B) 264	24.5%	C) 123	11.4%	D) ---	-----	?) 510	47.4%
34.	Friends	A) 74	6.9%	B) 232	21.6%	C) 209	19.4%	D) 44	4.1%	?) 515	47.9%
35.	High school teacher	A) 115	10.7%	B) 198	18.4%	C) 177	16.5%	D) 63	5.9%	?) 513	47.7%
36.	High school guidance counselor	A) 98	9.1%	B) 198	18.4%	C) 155	14.4%	D) 102	9.5%	?) 517	48.0%
37.	School career day or similar program	A) 198	18.5%	B) 150	14.1%	C) 155	14.4%	D) 100	9.4%	?) 513	47.7%
38.	Brochures or materials from college and schools	A) 135	12.5%	B) 217	20.2%	C) 107	9.9%	D) 95	8.8%		
39.	A job I have or have had	A) 225	21.2%	B) 75	6.5%	C) 137	12.7%	D) 208	19.3%		
40.	High school courses	A) 203	18.9%	B) 208	19.3%	C) 103	9.6%	D) 47	4.4%	?) 510	47.4%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE NOT DECIDED ON A CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS.

41. Do you feel you have all the information you need to decide on a career?

a.	Yes, definitely	74	6.9%
b.	Yes, but only partially	186	17.3%
c.	No, but I have some	340	31.6%
d.	No, not at all	81	7.5%
	?)	389	36.2%

42. What factors have kept you from deciding?

a.	I don't know where to go for help.	89	8.3%		
b.	I don't have the time.	70	6.5%		
c.	I don't want to make my decision this early.			251	23.3%
d.	I don't have enough information	221	20.5%		
e.	I know I'll find a job somewhere.	---	-----		
	?)	416	38.7%		

43. By what time do you feel you should decide?

a.	9th grade	49	4.6%
b.	10th grade	101	9.4%
c.	11th grade	213	19.8%
d.	12th grade	206	19.1%
e.	After high school	105	9.8%
	?)	402	37.4%

44. Have you been made aware of the existence of a Career Center at our high school?

a.	Yes	670	62.3%
b.	No	130	12.1%
	?)	250	23.2%

45. Have you been in the Career Center located in the library?

a.	Yes	630	58.6%
b.	No	168	15.6%
	?)	254	23.6%

46. If yes, on your own or teacher took your group?

a.	Own	164	15.2%
b.	Teacher	486	45.2%
	?)	388	36.1%

47. How many teachers have ever taken you as a class to the Career Center?

a.	1 - 2	528	49.1%
b.	3 - 4	120	11.2%
c.	5 - 6	---	-----
d.	None	161	15.0%
	?)	241	22.4%

48. Of the available materials in the Career Center, which do you find most helpful?

a.	Books; pamphlets	265	24.6%
b.	Filmstrips and cassettes	125	11.6%
c.	COIN machine	61	5.7%
d.	Career information cards	222	20.6%
e.	I have never used them.	132	12.3%
	?)	271	25.2%

49. At the present time, are you

a.	Sure of what career you want to pursue	177	16.5%
b.	Fairly sure	358	33.3%
c.	Don't know	185	17.2%
d.	Need more information	100	9.3%
	?)	251	23.3%

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CAREER PLANNING SURVEY

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Administered by:

Greenfield Central High School
Greenfield, Indiana
Grade-9

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Greenfield Central High School

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SURVEY

Number of Responses = 272

? Denotes No Answer

1. Grade

a.	8th	---	-----
b.	9th	265	97.4%
c.	10th	---	-----
d.	11th	---	-----
e.	12th	---	-----

2. Sex

a.	Male	129	47.4%
b.	Female	138	50.7%

3. Race/Ethnic Group

a.	Asian-American, Oriental	---	-----
b.	Black, Afro-American	---	-----
c.	White, Caucasian	250	91.9%
d.	Other	9	3.3%

4. In what type of high school program are you enrolled?

a.	General	88	32.4%
b.	College Preparatory	151	55.5%
c.	Vocational/Technical	15	5.5%
d.	Other	13	4.8%

5. How many different careers are you <u>seriously</u> considering at this time?

a.	None	50	18.4%
b.	One	71	26.1%
c.	Two	96	35.3%
d.	Three	31	11.4%
e.	Four or more	13	4.8%
	?)	11	4.0%

PLEASE LIST THESE CAREER AREAS IN THE BLANK SPACE ON YOUR ANSWER SHEET.

6. Do you plan to continue your education past high school?

a.	Yes, definitely	153	56.3%
b.	I think so	53	19.5%
c.	I don't know	34	12.5%
d.	I don't think so	14	5.1%
e.	No	14	5.1%

7. What type of school are you considering?
(Check all that apply)

a.	A state supported vocational or technical college (such as Ivy Tech)	50	18.4%
b.	A two-year college (such as Vincennes University)	9	3.3%
c.	An extension campus of a college or university (for example IUPUI)	17	6.3%
d.	A university or four-year college (such as Purdue, Marian College)	136	50.0%
e.	A private, for-profit school (such as Lincoln Tech, Lockyear College)	---	-----
	?)	54	19.9%

8. Do you work outside of school hours?

a.	Yes	54	19.9%
b.	No	210	77.2%

9. If yes, is your job in a career area you are interested in?

a.	Yes	24	8.8%
b.	No	112	41.2%
	?)	133	48.9%

In evaluating possible careers, how important to you are the following job characteristics?

(Please mark the most appropriate answer)

	A VERY IMPORTANT	B SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	C NOT VERY IMPORTANT	D NOT AT ALL IMPORTANT
10.	Job Duties	A) 195 71.7%	B) 47 17.3%	C) 9 3.3%
		D) --- -----	?) 16 5.9%	
11.	Friends' opinion of the job	A) 27 9.9%	B) 88 32.4%	C) 96 35.3%
		D) 52 19.1%		
12.	Kind of people I'll work with	A) 90 33.1%	B) 132 48.5%	C) 33 12.1%
		D) 10 3.7%		
13.	Parent's opinion	A) 86 31.6%	B) 123 45.2%	C) 36 13.2%
		D) 14 5.1%		
14.	Status or prestige of the job	A) 89 32.7%	B) 120 44.1%	C) 37 13.6%
		D) 14 5.1%		
15.	Job security	A) 193 71.0%	B) 56 20.6%	C) -- -----
		D) --- -----		
16.	Like to work outdoors	A) 61 22.4%	B) 73 26.8%	C) 86 31.6%
		D) 40 14.7%	D) 9 3.3%	
17.	Money	A) 179 65.8%	B) 75 27.6%	C) -- -----
		D) --- -----		

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information on careers and training have been to you:

A VERY HELPFUL B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL C NOT VERY HELPFUL D I HAVEN'T USED THIS

18. Career Days

19. Projections of job demand

20. Brochures and other materials from colleges

21. High school courses

22. Information on specific jobs

23. College speakers

24. Information about career areas

25. General information on types of post high school training available

26. Computerized career information

18	A)	45	16.5%	B)	89	32.7%	C)	43	15.8%
	D)	80	29.4%	D)	14	5.1%			
19	A)	54	19.9%	B)	118	43.4%	C)	36	13.2%
	D)	44	16.2%	D)	20	7.3%			
20	A)	73	26.8%	B)	84	30.9%	C)	40	14.7%
	D)	51	18.8%	D)	21	7.7%			
21	A)	141	51.8%	B)	82	30.1%	C)	28	10.3%
	D)	---	-----	?)	12	4.4%			
22	A)	104	38.2%	B)	103	37.9%	C)	32	11.8%
	D)	20	7.3%	D)	13	4.8%			
23	A)	43	15.8%	B)	66	24.3%	C)	54	19.9%
	D)	82	30.1%	D)	24	8.8%			
24	A)	77	28.3%	B)	104	38.2%	C)	39	14.3%
	D)	31	11.4%	?)	21	7.7%			
25	A)	52	19.1%	B)	97	35.7%	C)	49	18.0%
	D)	45	16.5%	?)	27	9.9%			

27. Have you decided on a career?

a.	Yes	92	33.8%
b.	No	158	58.1%
	?)	17	6.3%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE DECIDED ON YOUR CHOSEN CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS. IF YOU HAVE NOT, SKIP TO QUESTION 41.

Please list what occupation you have decided to pursue on the Answer Sheet and underline.

28. How sure are you of your decision?

a.	Very sure	27	9.9%
b.	Pretty sure	58	21.3%
c.	Not too sure	18	6.6%
d.	Not sure at all	---	-----
	?)	162	59.6%

29. - 30. When would you say you first knew what occupation you were interested in?

16	5.9%	Before 6th Grade 29a		9th Grade 30a		41	15.1%
9	3.3%	6th Grade 29b		10th Grade 30b		---	-----
23	8.5%	7th Grade 29c		11th Grade 30c		---	-----
35	12.9%	8th Grade 29d		12th Grade 30d		---	-----
?) 189	69.5%					213	78.3%

31. What type of training do people need to be competitive in your career area?

a.	High School Diploma or less	10	3.7%
b.	H. S. Diploma + 1 Year Vocational Training	16	5.9%
c.	H. S. Diploma + 2 Years Vocational Training	20	7.4%
d.	H. S. Diploma + 2-Year University Degree	9	3.3%
e.	H. S. Diploma + 4-Year University Degree	42	15.4%
	?)	175	64.3%

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information about jobs and careers were to you when you were choosing your career:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
32. TV and/or radio ads	A) -- -----	B) 25 9.2%	C) 53 19.5%	D) 16 5.9% ?) 170 62.5%
33. Parents or relatives	A) 25 9.2%	B) 55 20.2%	C) 19 7.0%	D) -- ----- ?) 169 62.1%
34. Friends	A) 14 5.1%	B) 36 13.2%	C) 44 16.2%	D) -- ----- ?) 172 63.2%
35. High school teacher	A) 24 8.8%	B) 38 14.0%	C) 29 10.7%	D) 10 3.7% ?) 171 62.9%
36. High school guidance counselor	A) 20 7.4%	B) 33 12.1%	C) 25 10.0%	D) 23 8.5% ?) 171 62.9%
37. School career day or similar program	A) 18 6.6%	B) 25 10.0%	C) 22 8.1%	D) 33 12.1% ?) 173 63.6%
38. Brochures or materials from college and schools	A) 15 5.5%	B) 43 15.8%	C) 18 6.6%	D) 26 9.6% ?) 169 62.1%
39. A job I have or have had	A) 17 6.2%	B) 14 5.1%	C) 23 8.5%	D) 43 15.8% ?) 173 63.6%
40. High school courses	A) 37 13.6%	B) 38 14.0%	C) 14 5.1	D) 12 4.4% ?) 171 62.9%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE NOT DECIDED ON A CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS.

41. Do you feel you have all the information you need to decide on a career?

a.	Yes, definitely	10	3.7%
b.	Yes, but only partially	48	17.6%
c.	No, but I have some	103	37.9%
d.	No, not at all	31	11.4%
	?)	77	28.3%

42. What factors have kept you from deciding?

a.	I don't know where to go for help.	23	8.5%
b.	I don't have the time.	20	7.4%
c.	I don't want to make my decision this early.	94	34.6%
d.	I don't have enough information	44	16.2%
e.	I know I'll find a job somewhere.	9	3.3%
	?)	82	30.1%

43. By what time do you feel you should decide?

a.	9th grade	10	3.7%
b.	10th grade	55	20.2%
c.	11th grade	87	32.0%
d.	12th grade	33	12.1%
e.	After high school	---	-----
	?)	80	29.4%

44. Have you been made aware of the existence of a Career Center at our high school?

a.	Yes	143	52.6%
b.	No	70	25.7%
	?)	52	19.1%

45. Have you been in the Career Center located in the library?

a.	Yes	97	35.7%
b.	No	114	41.9%
	?)	55	20.2%

46. If yes, on your own or teacher took your group?

a.	Own	55	20.2%
b.	Teacher	58	21.3%
	?)	141	51.8%

47. How many teachers have ever taken you as a class to the Career Center?

a.	1 - 2	70	25.7%
b.	3 - 4	12	4.4%
c.	5 - 6	---	-----
d.	None	120	44.1%
	?)	62	22.8%

48. Of the available materials in the Career Center, which do you find most helpful?

a.	Books; pamphlets	59	21.7%
b.	Filmstrips and cassettes	41	15.1%
c.	CCIN machine	10	3.7%
d.	Career information cards	21	7.7%
e.	I have never used them.	74	27.2%
	?)	67	24.6%

49. At the present time, are you

a.	Sure of what career you want to pursue	29	10.7%
b.	Fairly sure	90	33.1%
c.	Don't know	57	21.0%
d.	Need more information	31	11.4%
	?)	60	22.1%

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CAREER PLANNING SURVEY

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Administered by:

Greenfield Central High School
Greenfield, Indiana
Grade 10

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GREENFIELD CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SURVEY
Number of Respondents = 297
? Denotes No Response

1. Grade

a.	8th	--	-----
b.	9th	9	3.0%
c.	10th	282	94.9%
d.	11th	--	-----
e.	12th	--	-----

2. Sex

a.	Male	146	49.2%
b.	Female	146	49.2%

3. Race/Ethnic Group

a.	Asian-American, Oriental	---	-----
b.	Black, Afro-American	---	-----
c.	White, Caucasian	274	92.3%
d.	Other	---	-----

4. In what type of high school program are you enrolled?

a.	General	97	32.7%
b.	College Preparatory	154	51.9%
c.	Vocational/Technical	25	8.4%
d.	Other	15	5.1%

5. How many different careers are you <u>seriously</u> considering at this time?

a.	None	40	13.5%
b.	One	70	23.6%
c.	Two	124	41.8%
d.	Three	46	15.5%
e.	Four or more	10	3.4%

PLEASE LIST THESE CAREER AREAS IN THE BLANK SPACE ON YOUR ANSWER SHEET.

6. Do you plan to continue your education past high school?

a.	Yes, definitely	136	45.8%
b.	I think so	73	24.6%
c.	I don't know	53	17.8%
d.	I don't think so	17	5.7%
e.	No	14	4.7%

7. What type of school are you considering?
(Check all that apply)

a. A state supported vocational or technical college (such as Ivy Tech) 67 22.6%
b. A two-year college (such as Vincennes University) 22 7.4%
c. An extension campus of a college or university (for example IUPUI) 25 8.4%
d. A university or four-year college (such as Purdue, Marian College) 106 35.7%
e. A private, for-profit school (such as Lincoln Tech, Lockyear College) 14 4.7%
?) 63 21.2%

8. Do you work outside of school hours?

a. Yes 73 24.6%
b. No 218 73.4%

9. If yes, is your job in a career area you are interested in?

a. Yes 27 9.1%
b. No 151 50.8%
?) 119 40.1%

In evaluating possible careers, how important to you are the following job characteristics?

(Please mark the most appropriate answer)

	A VERY IMPORTANT	B SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	C NOT VERY IMPORTANT	D NOT AT ALL IMPORTANT
10.	Job Duties	A) 224 75.4%	B) 46 15.5%	C) --- -----
		D) --- -----	?) 14 4.7%	
11.	Friends' opinion of the job	A) 25 8.4%	B) 94 31.7%	C) 102 34.3%
		D) 69 23.2%		
12.	Kind of people I'll work with	A) 101 34.0%	B) 154 51.9%	C) 25 8.4%
		D) 12 4.0%		
13.	Parent's opinion	A) 77 26.0%	B) 161 54.2%	C) 40 13.5%
		D) 13 4.4%		
14.	Status or prestige of the job	A) 90 30.3%	B) 134 45.1%	C) 48 16.2%
		D) 15 5.1%	?) 10 3.4%	
15.	Job security	A) 195 65.7%	B) 72 24.2%	C) 15 5.1%
		D) --- -----		
16.	Like to work outdoors	A) 63 21.2%	B) 87 29.3%	C) 105 35.4%
		D) 27 9.1%	?) 13 4.4%	
17.	Money	A) 196 66.0%	B) 85 28.6%	C) --- -----
		D) --- -----		

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information on careers and training have been to you:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT VERY HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
18.	Career Days	A) 90 30.3%	B) 142 47.1%	C) 44 14.8%
		D) 14 4.7%		
19.	Projections of job demand	A) 62 20.9%	B) 144 48.5%	C) 55 18.5%
		D) 26 8.8%	?) 10 3.4%	
20.	Brochures and other materials from colleges	A) 80 27.0%	B) 119 40.1%	C) 50 16.8%
		D) 39 13.1%		
21.	High school courses	A) 169 56.9%	B) 97 32.7%	C) 21 7.1%
		D) --- -----		
22.	Information on specific jobs	A) 137 46.1%	B) 122 41.1%	C) 25 8.4%
		D) --- -----		
23.	College speakers	A) 46 15.5%	B) 121 40.7%	C) 56 18.9%
		D) 62 20.9%		
24.	Information about career areas	A) 94 31.7%	B) 155 52.2%	C) 31 10.4%
		D) 10 3.4%		
25.	General information on types of post high school training available	A) 68 22.9%	B) 134 45.1%	C) 58 19.5%
		D) 30 10.1%		
26.	Computerized career information	A) 69 23.2%	B) 96 32.3%	C) 56 18.9%
		D) 65 21.9%		

27. Have you decided on a career?

a.	Yes	139	46.8%
b.	No	138	46.5%
	?)	15	5.1%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE DECIDED ON YOUR CHOSEN CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS. IF YOU HAVE NOT, SKIP TO QUESTION 41.

Please list what occupation you have decided to pursue on the Answer Sheet and underline.

28. How sure are you of your decision?

a.	Very sure	47	15.8%
b.	Pretty sure	93	31.3%
c.	Not too sure	20	6.7%
d.	Not sure at all	--	-----
	?)	132	44.4%

29. - 30. When would you say you first knew what occupation you were interested in?

14	4.7%	Before 6th Grade	29a	9th Grade	30a	60	20.2%
20	6.7%	6th Grade	29b	10th Grade	30b	33	11.1%
17	5.7%	7th Grade	29c	11th Grade	30c	--	-----
47	15.8%	8th Grade	29d	12th Grade	30d	--	-----
?) 199	67.0%					?) 191	64.3%

31. What type of training do people need to be competitive in your career area?

a.	High School Diploma or less	17	5.7%
b.	H. S. Diploma + 1 Year Vocational Training	21	7.1%
c.	H. S. Diploma + 2 Years Vocational Training	48	16.2%
d.	H. S. Diploma + 2-Year University Degree	13	4.4%
e.	H. S. Diploma + 4-Year University Degree	58	19.5%
		?) 140	47.1%

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information about jobs and careers were to you when you were choosing your career:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
32. TV and/or radio ads	A) 18 6.1%	B) 38 12.8%	C) 72 24.2%	D) 23 7.7%
33. Parents or relatives	A) 46 15.5%	B) 74 25.0%	C) 30 10.1%	D) -- -----
34. Friends	A) 21 7.1%	B) 62 20.9%	C) 57 19.2%	D) 15 5.1%
35. High school teacher	A) 30 10.1%	B) 62 20.9%	C) 41 13.8%	D) 16 5.4%
36. High school guidance counselor	A) 39 13.1%	B) 54 18.2%	C) 34 11.4%	D) 26 8.8%
37. School career day or similar program	A) 38 12.8%	B) 73 24.6%	C) 33 11.1%	D) 12 4.0%
38. Brochures or materials from college and schools	A) 50 16.8%	B) 49 16.5%	C) 30 10.1%	D) 23 7.7%
39. A job I have or have had	A) 21 48.1%	B) 26 8.8%	C) 37 12.5%	D) 65 21.9%
40. High school courses	A) 68 22.9%	B) 59 19.9%	C) 22 7.4%	D) -- -----

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE NOT DECIDED ON A CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS.

41. Do you feel you have all the information you need to decide on a career?

a.	Yes, definitely	23	7.7%
b.	Yes, but only partially	55	18.5%
c.	No, but I have some	104	35.0%
d.	No, not at all	22	7.4%
	?)	93	31.3%

42. What factors have kept you from deciding?

a.	I don't know where to go for help.	34	11.4%
b.	I don't have the time.	19	6.4%
c.	I don't want to make my decision this early.	63	21.2%
d.	I don't have enough information	79	26.6%
e.	I know I'll find a job somewhere.	--	-----
	?)	100	33.7%

43. By what time do you feel you should decide?

a.	9th grade	15	5.1%
b.	10th grade	24	8.1%
c.	11th grade	85	28.6%
d.	12th grade	61	20.5%
e.	After high school	16	5.4%
	?)	96	32.2%

44. Have you been made aware of the existence of a Career Center at our high school?

a.	Yes	207	69.7%
b.	No	25	8.4%
	?)	62	20.9%

45. Have you been in the Career Center located in the library?

a.	Yes	205	69.0%
b.	No	23	7.7%
	?)	62	20.9%

46. If yes, on your own or teacher took your group?

a.	Own	34	11.4%
b.	Teacher	176	59.3%
	?)	82	27.6%

47. How many teachers have ever taken you as a class to the Career Center?

a.	1 - 2	202	68.0%
b.	3 - 4	24	8.1%
c.	5 - 6	---	-----
d.	None	14	4.7%
	?)	56	18.9

48. Of the available materials in the Career Center, which do you find most helpful?

a.	Books; pamphlets	73	24.6%
b.	Filmstrips and cassettes	38	12.8%
c.	COIN machine	19	6.4%
d.	Career information cards	81	27.3
e.	I have never used them.	20	6.7%
	?)	66	22.2%

49. At the present time, are you

a.	Sure of what career you want to pursue	49	16.5%
b.	Fairly sure	100	33.7%
c.	Don't know	52	17.5%
d.	Need more information	34	11.4%
	?)	62	20.9%

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CAREER PLANNING SURVEY

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Greenfield Central High School
Greenfield, Indiana
Grade 11

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GREENFIELD CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SURVEY
Number of Respondents = 269
? Denotes No Response

1. Grade

a.	8th	---	-----
b.	9th	---	-----
c.	10th	---	-----
d.	11th	256	95.2%
e.	12th	---	-----

2. Sex

a.	Male	108	40.1%
b.	Female	154	57.2%

3. Race/Ethnic Group

a.	Asian-American, Oriental	---	-----
b.	Black, Afro-American	---	-----
c.	White, Caucasian	249	92.6%
d.	Other	---	-----

4. In what type of high school program are you enrolled?

a.	General	78	29.0%
b.	College Preparatory	144	53.5%
c.	Vocational/Technical	19	7.1%
d.	Other	19	7.1%

5. How many different careers are you seriously considering at this time?

a.	None	29	10.8%
b.	One	75	27.9%
c.	Two	118	43.9%
d.	Three	34	12.6%
e.	Four or more	---	-----

PLEASE LIST THESE CAREER AREAS IN THE BLANK SPACE ON YOUR ANSWER SHEET.

6. Do you plan to continue your education past high school?

a.	Yes, definitely	153	56.9%
b.	I think so	48	17.8%
c.	I don't know	41	15.2%
d.	I don't think so	---	-----
e.	No	15	5.6%

7. What type of school are you considering?
(Check all that apply)

a.	A state supported vocational or technical college (such as Ivy Tech)	49	18.2%
b.	A two-year college (such as Vincennes University)	22	8.2%
c.	An extension campus of a college or university (for example IUPUI)	28	10.4%
d.	A university or four-year college (such as Purdue, Marian College)	102	37.9%
e.	A private, for-profit school (such as Lincoln Tech, Lockyear College)	10	3.7%
	?)	58	21.6%

8. Do you work outside of school hours?

a.	Yes	111	41.3%
b.	No	150	55.8%

9. If yes, is your job in a career area you are interested in?

a.	Yes	38	14.1%
b.	No	135	50.2%
	?)	92	34.2%

In evaluating possible careers, how important to you are the following job characteristics?

(Please mark the most appropriate answer)

	A VERY IMPORTANT	B SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	C NOT VERY IMPORTANT	D NOT AT ALL IMPORTANT
10.	Job duties	A) 210 78.1%	B) 39 14.5%	C) --- -----
		D) --- -----	?) 9 3.3%	
11.	Friends' opinion of the job	A) 28 10.4%	B) 62 23.0%	C) 108 40.1%
		D) 60 22.3%	?) 10 3.7%	
12.	Kind of people I'll work with	A) 115 42.6%	B) 128 47.6%	C) 16 5.9%
		D) --- -----		
13.	Parent's opinion	A) 80 29.7%	B) 126 46.8%	C) 35 13.0%
		D) 16 5.9%	?) 9 3.3%	
14.	Status or prestige of the job	A) 73 27.1%	B) 125 46.5%	C) 46 17.1%
		D) 16 5.9%	?) 9 3.3%	
15.	Job security	A) 184 68.4%	B) 66 24.5%	C) --- -----
		D) --- -----	?) 9 3.3%	
16.	Like to work outdoors	A) 51 19.0%	B) 80 29.7%	C) 94 34.9%
		D) 29 10.8%	?) 10 3.7%	
17.	Money	A) 160 59.5%	B) 92 34.2%	C) --- -----
		D) --- -----		

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information on careers and training have been to you:

	A VERY HELPFUL		B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL		C NOT VERY HELPFUL		D I HAVEN'T USED THIS	
18. Career Days	A) 57	21.2%	B) 128	47.6%	C) 57	21.2%	D) 16	5.9%
19. Projections of job demand	A) 63	23.4%	B) 124	46.1%	C) 54	20.1%	D) 18	6.7%
20. Brochures and other materials from colleges	A) 72	26.8%	B) 111	41.3%	C) 41	15.2%	D) 38	14.1%
21. High school courses	A) 134	49.8%	B) 94	34.9%	C) 24	8.9%	D) 10	3.7%
22. Information on specific jobs	A) 120	44.6%	B) 104	38.7%	C) 25	9.3%	D) 13	4.8%
23. College speakers	A) 51	19.0%	B) 96	35.7%	C) 61	22.7%	D) 51	19.0%
24. Information about career areas	A) 89	33.1%	B) 124	46.1%	C) 33	12.3%	D) 12	4.5%
	?) 10	3.7%						
25. General information on types of post high school training available	A) 63	23.4%	B) 106	39.4%	C) 55	20.4%	D) 36	13.4%
26. Computerized career information	A) 36	13.4%	B) 97	36.1%	C) 50	18.6%	D) 75	27.9%
	?) 9	3.3%						

27. Have you decided on a career?

a.	Yes	130	48.3%
b.	No	125	46.5%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE DECIDED ON YOUR CHOSEN CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS. IF YOU HAVE NOT, SKIP TO QUESTION 41.

Please list what occupation you have decided to pursue on the Answer Sheet and underline.

28. How sure are you of your decision?

a.	Very sure	58	21.6%
b.	Pretty sure	75	27.9%
c.	Not too sure	15	5.6%
d.	Not sure at all	9	3.3%
	?)	112	41.6%

29. - 30. When would you say you first knew what occupation you were interested in?

Before 6th Grade	29a	9th Grade	30a	35	13.0%
6th Grade	29b	10th Grade	30b	42	15.6%
7th Grade	29c	11th Grade	30c	34	12.6%
8th Grade	29d	12th Grade	30d	--	-----
				?) 155	57.6%

18	7.0%
--	-----
14	5.2%
31	11.5%
) 198	73.6%

31. What type of training do people need to be competitive in your career area?

a.	High School Diploma or less	16	5.9%
b.	H. S. Diploma + 1 Year Vocational Training	24	8.9%
c.	H. S. Diploma + 2 Years Vocational Training	28	10.4%
d.	H. S. Diploma + 2-Year University Degree	11	4.1%
e.	H. S. Diploma + 4-Year University Degree	69	25.7%
	?)	121	45.0%

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information about jobs and careers were to you when you were choosing your career:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
32. TV and/or radio ads	A) 10 3.7%	B) 44 16.4%	C) 64 23.8%	D) 33 12.3%
	?) 118 43.9%			
33. Parents or relatives	A) 49 18.2%	B) 67 24.9%	C) 27 10.0%	D) --- -----
	?) 120 44.6%			
34. Friends	A) 19 7.1%	B) 69 25.7%	C) 55 20.4%	D) --- -----
	?) 120 44.6%			
35. High school teacher	A) 31 11.5%	B) 54 20.1%	C) 47 17.5%	D) 19 7.1%
	?) 117 43.5%			
36. High school guidance counselor	A) 23 8.6%	B) 53 19.7%	C) 42 15.6%	D) 29 10.8%
	?) 122 45.4%			
37. School career day or similar program	A) 32 11.9%	B) 52 19.3%	C) 46 17.1%	D) 21 7.8%
	?) 117 43.5%			
38. Brochures or materials from college and schools	A) 37 13.8%	B) 66 24.5%	C) 20 7.4%	D) 26 9.7%
	?) 119 44.2%			
39. A job I have or have had	A) 31 11.5%	B) 31 11.5%	C) 38 14.1%	D) 45 16.7%
	?) 117 43.5%			
40. High school courses	A) 58 21.6%	B) 56 20.8%	C) 26 9.7%	D) 12 4.5%
	?) 117 43.5%			

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE NOT DECIDED ON A CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS.

41. Do you feel you have all the information you need to decide on a career?

a.	Yes, definitely	18	6.7%
b.	Yes, but only partially	48	17.8%
c.	No, but I have some	80	29.7%
d.	No, not at all	18	6.7%
	?)	105	39.0%

42. What factors have kept you from deciding?

a.	I don't know where to go for help.		14	5.2%
b.	I don't have the time.		14	5.2%
c.	I don't want to make my decision this early.		54	20.1%
d.	I don't have enough information		65	24.2%
e.	I know I'll find a job somewhere.		11	4.1%
		?)	111	41.3%

43. By what time do you feel you should decide?

a.	9th grade	15	5.6%
b.	10th grade	9	3.3%
c.	11th grade	26	9.7%
d.	12th grade	81	30.1%
e.	After high school	32	11.9%
	?)	106	39.4%

44. Have you been made aware of the existence of a Career Center at our high school?

a.	Yes	191	71.0%
b.	No	10	6.7%
	?)	53	19.7%

45. Have you been in the Career Center located in the library?

a.	Yes	196	72.7%
b.	No	13	4.8%
	?)	55	20.4%

46. If yes, on your own or teacher took your group?

a.	Own	36	13.4%
b.	Teacher	160	59.5%
	?)	66	24.5

47. How many teachers have ever taken you as a class to the Career Center?

a.	1 - 2	166	61.7%
b.	3 - 4	44	16.4%
c.	5 - 6	9	3.3%
d.	None	---	-----
	?)	43	16.0%

48. Of the available materials in the Career Center, which do you find most helpful?

a.	Books; pamphlets		84	31.2%
b.	Filmstrips and cassettes		27	10.0%
c.	COIN machine		21	7.8%
d.	Career information cards		74	27.5%
e.	I have never used them.		9	3.3%
		?)	54	20.1%

49. At the present time, are you

a.	Sure of what career you want to pursue		58	21.6%
b.	Fairly sure		99	36.8%
c.	Don't know		43	16.0%
d.	Need more information		20	7.4%
		?)	49	18.2%

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Grade 12

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GREENFIELD CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SURVEY
Number of Respondents = 238
? Denotes No Response

1. Grade

a.	8th	---	-----
b.	9th	---	-----
c.	10th	---	-----
d.	11th	---	-----
e.	12th	232	97.5%

2. Sex

a.	Male	109	45.8%
b.	Female	121	50.8%

3. Race/Ethnic Group

a.	Asian-American, Oriental	8	3.4%
b.	Black, Afro-American	---	-----
c.	White, Caucasian	219	92.0%
d.	Other	---	-----

4. In what type of high school program are you enrolled?

a.	General	92	38.7%
b.	College Preparatory	117	49.2%
c.	Vocational/Technical	11	4.6%
d.	Other	16	6.7%

5. How many different careers are you <u>seriously</u> considering at this time?

a.	None	20	8.4%
b.	One	79	33.2%
c.	Two	102	42.9%
d.	Three	27	11.3%
e.	Four or more	8	3.4%

PLEASE LIST THESE CAREER AREAS IN THE BLANK SPACE ON YOUR ANSWER SHEET.

6. Do you plan to continue your education past high school?

a.	Yes, definitely	148	62.2%
b.	I think so	42	17.7%
c.	I don't know	24	10.1%
d.	I don't think so	---	-----
e.	No	17	7.1

7. What type of school are you considering?
(Check all that apply)

a.	A state supported vocational or technical college (such as Ivy Tech)	34	14.3%
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e.	A private, for-profit school (such as Lincoln Tech, Lockyear College)	13	5.5%
	?)	56	23.5%

8. Do you work outside of school hours?

a.	Yes	135	56.7%
b.	No	100	42.0%

9. If yes, is your job in a career area you are interested in?

a.	Yes	40	16.8%
b.	No	138	58.0%
	?)	51	21.4%

In evaluating possible careers, how important to you are the following job characteristics?

(Please mark the most appropriate answer)

	A VERY IMPORTANT	B SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	C NOT VERY IMPORTANT	D NOT AT ALL IMPORTANT
10.	Job Duties	A) 176 74.0%	B) 34 14.3%	C) --- -----
		D) --- -----	?) 13 5.5%	
11.	Friends' opinion of the job	A) 31 13.0%	B) 59 24.8%	C) 86 36.1%
		D) 57 24.0%		
12.	Kind of people I'll work with	A) 82 34.5%	B) 123 51.7%	C) 21 8.8%
		D) --- -----		
13.	Parent's opinion	A) 50 21.0%	B) 104 43.7%	C) 54 22.7%
		D) 23 9.7%		
14.	Status or prestige of the job	A) 80 33.6%	B) 109 45.8%	C) 33 13.9%
		D) 12 5.0%		
15.	Job security	A) 173 72.7%	B) 43 18.1%	C) 11 4.6%
		D) --- ----		
16.	Like to work outdoors	A) 47 19.7%	B) 72 30.3%	C) 87 36.6%
		D) 28 11.8%		
17.	Money	A) 149 62.6%	B) 71 29.8%	C) 8 3.4%
		D) --- -----		

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information on careers and training have been to you:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT VERY HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
18. Career Days	A) 47 19.7%	B) 113 47.5%	C) 57 24.0%	D) 18 7.6%
19. Projections of job demand	A) 49 20.6%	B) 123 51.2%	C) 40 16.8%	D) 23 9.7%
20. Brochures and other materials from colleges	A) 57 24.0%	B) 102 42.9%	C) 51 21.4%	D) 23 9.7%
21. High school courses	A) 81 34.0%	B) 108 45.4%	C) 37 15.5%	D) 9 3.8%
22. Information on specific jobs	A) 84 35.3%	B) 102 42.9%	C) 32 13.4%	D) 17 7.1%
23. College speakers	A) 30 12.6%	B) 85 35.7%	C) 65 27.3%	D) 51 21.4%
24. Information about career areas	A) 65 27.3%	B) 113 47.5%	C) 38 16.0%	D) 16 6.7%
25. General information on types of post high school training available	A) 38 16.0%	B) 102 42.9%	C) 67 28.2%	D) 28 11.8%
26. Computerized career information	A) 31 13.0%	B) 74 31.1%	C) 57 24.0%	D) 62 26.1% ?) 8 3.4%

27. Have you decided on a career?

a.	Yes	136	57.1%
b.	No	88	37.0%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE DECIDED ON YOUR CHOSEN CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS. IF YOU HAVE NOT, SKIP TO QUESTION 41.

Please list what occupation you have decided to pursue on the Answer Sheet and underline.

28. How sure are you of your decision?

a.	Very sure	69	29.0%
b.	Pretty sure	73	30.7%
c.	Not too sure	11	4.6%
d.	Not sure at all	---	-----

29. - 30. When would you say you first knew what occupation you were interested in?

13	5.5%	Before 6th Grade	29a	9th Grade	30a	28	11.8%
---	-----	6th Grade	29b	10th Grade	30b	25	10.5%
---	-----	7th Grade	29c	11th Grade	30c	49	20.6%
22	9.2%	8th Grade	29d	12th Grade	30d	33	13.9%
7)188	79.0%					?)100	42.0%

31. What type of training do people need to be competitive in your career area?

a.	High School Diploma or less	16	6.7%
b.	H. S. Diploma + 1 Year Vocational Training	22	9.2%
c.	H. S. Diploma + 2 Years Vocational Training	27	11.3%
d.	H. S. Diploma + 2-Year University Degree	20	8.4%
e.	H. S. Diploma + 4-Year University Degree	67	28.2%
	?)	86	36.1%

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information about jobs and careers were to you when you were choosing your career:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
32. TV and/or radio ads	A) 16 6.7%	B) 32 13.4%	C) 67 28.2%	D) 39 16.4%
33. Parents or relatives	A) 33 13.9%	B) 68 28.6%	C) 47 19.7%	D) --- -----
34. Friends	A) 20 8.4%	B) 65 27.3%	C) 53 22.3%	D) 17 7.1%
35. High school teacher	A) 30 12.6%	B) 44 18.5%	C) 60 25.2%	D) 18 7.6%
36. High school guidance counselor	A) 16 6.7%	B) 58 24.4%	C) 54 22.7%	D) 24 10.1%
37. School career day or similar program	A) 29 12.2%	B) 48 20.2%	C) 50 21.0%	D) 26 10.9%
38. Brochures or materials from college and schools	A) 33 13.9%	B) 59 24.8%	C) 39 16.4%	D) 20 8.4%
39. A job I have or have had	A) 31 13.0%	B) 22 9.2	C) 39 16.4%	D) 55 23.1%
40. High school courses	A) 40 16.8%	B) 55 23.1%	C) 41 17.2%	D) 15 6.3%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE NOT DECIDED ON A CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS.

41. Do you feel you have all the information you need to decide on a career?

a.	Yes, definitely	23	9.7%
b.	Yes, but only partially	35	14.7%
c.	No, but I have some	53	22.3%
d.	No, not at all	10	4.2%
	?)	114	47.9%

42. What factors have kept you from deciding?

a.	I don't know where to go for help.	18	7.6%
b.	I don't have the time.	17	7.1%
c.	I don't want to make my decision this early.	40	16.8%
d.	I don't have enough information	33	13.9%
e.	I know I'll find a job somewhere.	--	-----
	?)	123	51.7%

43. By what time do you feel you should decide?

a.	9th grade	9	3.8%
b.	10th grade	13	5.5%
c.	11th grade	15	6.3%
d.	12th grade	31	13.0%
e.	After high school	50	21.0%
	?)	120	50.4%

44. Have you been made aware of the existence of a Career Center at our high school?

a.	Yes	129	54.2%
b.	No	17	7.1%
	?)	83	34.9%

45. Have you been in the Career Center located in the library?

a.	Yes	132	55.5%
b.	No	18	7.6%
	?)	82	34.5%

46. If yes, on your own or teacher took your group?

a.	Own	39	16.4%
b.	Teacher	92	38.7%
	?)	99	41.6%

47. How many teachers have ever taken you as a class to the Career Center?

a.	1 - 2	90	37.8%
b.	3 - 4	40	16.8%
c.	5 - 6	---	-----
d.	None	21	8.8%
	?)	80	33.6%

48. Of the available materials in the Career Center, which do you find most helpful?

a.	Books; pamphlets	49	20.6%
b.	Filmstrips and cassettes	19	8.0%
c.	COIN machine	11	4.6%
d.	Career information cards	46	19.3%
e.	I have never used them.	29	12.2%
	?)	84	35.3%

49. At the present time, are you

a.	Sure of what career you want to pursue	41	33.6%
b.	Fairly sure	69	29.0%
c.	Don't know	33	13.9%
d.	Need more information	15	6.3%
	?)	80	33.6%

IVY TECH

CAREER PLANNING SURVEY

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Blacken the space of the appropriate answer for each question as shown on the answer sheet. If you change an answer, erase the original response completely.

Be sure to follow instructions carefully. Thank you for your cooperation.

Administered by:

Mooresville High School
Mooresville, Indiana

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MOORESVILLE HIGH SCHOOL
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SURVEY
Number of Respondents = 33
? Denotes No Response

1. Grade

a.	8th	--	----
b.	9th	--	----
c.	10th	--	----
d.	11th	6	18.2%
e.	12th	27	81.8%

2. Sex

a.	Male	14	42.4%
b.	Female	19	57.6%

3. Race/Ethnic Group

a.	Asian-American, Oriental	--	----
b.	Black, Afro-American	--	----
c.	White, Caucasian	33	100%
d.	Other		

4. In what type of high school program are you enrolled?

a.	General	23	69.7%
b.	College Preparatory	5	15.2%
c.	Vocational/Technical	5	15.2%
d.	Other	--	----

5. How many different careers are you <u>seriously</u> considering at this time?

a.	None	2	6.1%
b.	One	8	24.2%
c.	Two	15	45.5%
d.	Three	7	21.2%
e.	Four or more	1	3.0%

PLEASE LIST THESE CAREER AREAS IN THE BLANK SPACE ON YOUR ANSWER SHEET.

6. Do you plan to continue your education past high school?

a.	Yes, definitely	15	45.5%
b.	I think so	10	30.3%
c.	I don't know	8	24.2%
d.	I don't think so	--	----
e.	No	--	----

7. What type of school are you considering?
(Check all that apply)

a.	A state supported vocational or technical college (such as Ivy Tech)	17	51.5%
b.	A two-year college (such as Vincennes University)	2	3.0%
c.	An extension campus of a college or university (for example IUPUI)	2	6.1%
d.	A university or four-year college (such as Purdue, Marian College)	2	6.1%
e.	A private, for-profit school (such as Lincoln Tech, Lockyear College)	--	----
	?)	11	33.3%

8. Do you work outside of school hours?

a.	Yes	18	54.5%
b.	No	15	45.5%

9. If yes, is your job in a career area you are interested in?

a.	Yes	6	18.2%
b.	No	19	57.6%
	?)	8	24.2%

In evaluating possible careers, how important to you are the following job characteristics?

(Please mark the most appropriate answer)

	A VERY IMPORTANT	B SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	C NOT VERY IMPORTANT	D NOT AT ALL IMPORTANT
10.	Job Duties	A) 24 72.7%	B) 8 24.2%	C) 1 3.0%
		D) -- ----		
11.	Friends' opinion of the job	A) 2 6.1%	B) 9 27.3%	C) 13 39.4%
		D) 8 24.2%		
12.	Kind of people I'll work with	A) 15 45.5%	B) 15 45.5%	C) 3 9.1%
		D) -- ----		
13.	Parent's opinion	A) 8 24.2%	B) 12 36.4%	C) 8 24.2%
		D) 4 12.1%		
14.	Status or prestige of the job	A) 10 30.3%	B) 17 51.5%	C) 6 18.2%
		D) -- ----		
15.	Job security	A) 26 78.8%	B) 5 15.2%	C) 2 6.1%
		D) -- ----		
16.	Like to work outdoors	A) 4 12.1%	B) 10 30.3%	C) 14 42.4%
		D) 5 15.2%		
17.	Money	A) 9 27.3%	B) 19 57.6%	C) 4 12.1%
		D) -- ----	?) 1 3.0%	

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information on careers and training have been to you:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT VERY HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
18. Career Days	A) 11 33.3%	B) 19 57.6%	C) 3 9.1%	D) -- ----
19. Projections of job demand	A) 11 33.3%	B) 18 54.5%	C) 4 12.1%	D) -- ----
20. Brochures and other materials from colleges	A) 10 30.3%	B) 18 54.5%	C) 5 15.2%	D) -- ----
21. High school courses	A) 14 42.4%	B) 17 51.5%	C) 2 6.1%	D) -- ----
22. Information on specific jobs	A) 18 54.5%	B) 11 33.3%	C) 3 9.1%	D) 1 3.0%
23. College speakers	A) 11 33.3%	B) 14 42.4%	C) 8 24.2%	D) -- ----
24. Information about career areas	A) 9 27.3%	B) 22 66.7%	C) 2 6.1%	D) -- ----
25. General information on types of post high school training available	A) 12 36.4%	B) 15 45.5%	C) 6 18.2%	D) -- ----
26. Computerized career information	A) 7 21.2%	B) 13 39.4%	C) 9 27.3%	D) 4 12.1%

27. Have you decided on a career?

a.	Yes	18	54.5%
b.	No	13	39.4%
	?)	1	3.0%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE DECIDED ON YOUR CHOSEN CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS. IF YOU HAVE NOT, SKIP TO QUESTION 41.

Please list what occupation you have decided to pursue on the Answer Sheet and underline.

28. How sure are you of your decision?

a.	Very sure	9	27.3%
b.	Pretty sure	11	33.3%
c.	Not too sure	--	----
d.	Not sure at all	--	----
	?)	13	39.4%

29. - 30. When would you say you first knew what occupation you were interested in?

1	3.0%	Before 6th Grade	29a	9th Grade	30a	5	15.2%
--	----	6th Grade	29b	10th Grade	30b	4	12.1%
2	6.1%	7th Grade	29c	11th Grade	30c	5	15.2%
1	3.0%	8th Grade	29d	12th Grade	30d	3	20.0%
?) 29	87.9%					?) 16	48.5%

31. What type of training do people need to be competitive in your career area?

a.	High School Diploma or less		--	----
b.	H. S. Diploma + 1 Year Vocational Training		2	6.1%
c.	H. S. Diploma + 2 Years Vocational Training		13	39.4%
d.	H. S. Diploma + 2-Year University Degree		2	6.1%
e.	H. S. Diploma + 4-Year University Degree	?)	16	48.9%

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information about jobs and careers were to you when you were choosing your career:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
32. TV and/or radio ads	A) 3 9.1%	B) 4 12.1%	C) 7 21.2%	D) 4 12.1%
33. Parents or relatives	A) 7 21.2%	B) 6 18.2%	C) 4 12.1%	D) 2 6.1%
34. Friends	A) 3 9.1%	B) 7 21.2%	C) 7 21.2%	D) 2 6.1%
35. High school teacher	A) 3 9.1%	B) 11 33.3%	C) 1 3.0%	D) 3 9.1%
36. High school guidance counselor	A) 6 18.2%	B) 7 21.2%	C) 3 9.1%	D) 3 9.1%
37. School career day or similar program	A) 8 24.2%	B) 7 21.2%	C) 3 9.1%	D) 1 3.0%
38. Brochures or materials from college and schools	A) 9 27.3%	B) 5 15.2%	C) 5 15.2%	D) -- ----
39. A job I have or have had	A) 4 12.1%	B) 1 3.0%	C) 8 24.2%	D) 4 12.1%
40. High school courses	A) 5 15.2	B) 8 24.2%	C) 4 12.1%	D) 2 6.1%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE NOT DECIDED ON A CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS.

41. Do you feel you have all the information you need to decide on a career?

a.	Yes, definitely	2	6.1%
b.	Yes, but only partially	2	6.1%
c.	No, but I have some	14	42.4%
d.	No, not at all	1	3.0%
	?)	14	42.4%

42. What factors have kept you from deciding?

a.	I don't know where to go for help.		--	----
b.	I don't have the time.		1	3.0%
c.	I don't want to make my decision this early.		5	15.2%
d.	I don't have enough information		12	36.4%
e.	I know I'll find a job somewhere.		1	3.0%
		?)	14	42.4%

43. By what time do you feel you should decide?

a.	9th grade	1	3.0%
b.	10th grade	--	----
c.	11th grade	5	15.2%
d.	12th grade	10	30.3%
e.	After high school	3	9.1%
	?)	14	42.4%

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CAREER PLANNING SURVEY

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Administered by:

Monrovia High School
Monrovia, Indiana

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MONROVIA HIGH SCHOOL
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SURVEY

Number of Respondents = 567
? Denotes No Reponse

1. Grade

a.	8th	165	29.1%
b.	9th	90	15.9%
c.	10th	108	10.0%
d.	11th	90	15.9
e.	12th	64	11.3%
	?)	50	8.8%

2. Sex

a.	Male	304	53.6%
b.	Female	260	45.9%

3. Race/Ethnic Group

a.	Asian-American, Oriental	--	--
b.	Black, Afro-American	--	--
c.	White, Caucasian	544	99.0%
d.	Other	--	--

4. In what type of high school program are you enrolled?

a.	General	283	49.9%
b.	College Preparatory	161	28.4%
c.	Vocational/Technical	60	10.6%
d.	Other	55	9.7%

5. How many different careers are you <u>seriously</u> considering at this time?

a.	None	89	15.7
b.	One	169	29.8%
c.	Two	201	35.4%
d.	Three	74	13.1%
e.	Four or more	29	5.1%

PLEASE LIST THESE CAREER AREAS IN THE BLANK SPACE ON YOUR ANSWER SHEET.

6. Do you plan to continue your education past high school?

a.	Yes, definitely	209	36.9%
b.	I think so	154	26.2%
c.	I don't know	122	21.5%
d.	I don't think so	30	5.3%
e.	No	51	9.0%

7. What type of school are you considering?
(Check all that apply)

a.	A state supported vocational or technical college (such as Ivy Tech)	103	18.2%
b.	A two-year college (such as Vincennes University)	47	8.2%
c.	An extension campus of a college or university (for example IUPUI)	61	10.8%
d.	A university or four-year college (such as Purdue, Marian College)	186	32.8%
e.	A private, for-profit school (such as Lincoln Tech, Lockyear College)	45	7.9%
	?)	125	22.0%

8. Do you work outside of school hours?

a.	Yes	205	36.2%
b.	No	355	62.6%

9. If yes, is your job in a career area you are interested in?

a.	Yes	92	16.2%
b.	No	267	47.1%
	?)	206	36.3%

In evaluating possible careers, how important to you are the following job characteristics?

(Please mark the most appropriate answer)

	A VERY IMPORTANT	B SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	C NOT VERY IMPORTANT	D NOT AT ALL IMPORTANT
10.	Job Duties	A) 410 72.3%	B) 127 22.4%	C) 12 2.1%
		D) -- --	?) -- --	
11.	Friends' opinion of the job	A) 45 7.9%	B) 173 30.5%	C) 216 77.8%
		D) 124 21.9	?) -- --	
12.	Kind of people I'll work with	A) 209 36.9%	B) 255 45.0%	C) 68 12.0%
		D) 30 5.1%	?) -- --	
13.	Parent's opinion	A) 149 26.3%	B) 255 45.0%	C) 98 17.3%
		D) 63 11.1%	?) -- --	
14.	Status or prestige of the job	A) 206 36.3%	B) 218 38.4%	C) 90 15.9%
		D) 42 7.4%	?) -- --	
15.	Job security	A) 383 67.5%	B) 129 22.8%	C) 30 5.3%
		D) 21 3.7%	?) -- --	
16.	Like to work outdoors	A) 134 23.6%	B) 175 30.9%	C) 174 30.7%
		D) 74 13.1%	?) -- --	
17.	Money	A) 412 72.7%	B) 128 22.6%	C) 17 3.0%
		D) -- --	?) -- --	

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information on careers and training have been to you:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT VERY HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
18. Career Days	18A) 83 14.6%	B) 166 29.3%	C) 58 10.2%	D) 251 44.3%
19. Projections of job demand	19A) 133 23.5%	B) 181 31.9%	C) 84 14.8%	D) 150 26.5%
20. Brochures and other materials from colleges	20A) 116 20.5%	B) 177 31.2%	C) 90 15.9%	D) 172 30.3%
21. High school courses	21A) 204 36.0%	B) 174 30.7%	C) 57 10.1%	D) 121 21.3%
22. Information on specific jobs	22A) 166 29.3%	B) 229 40.4%	C) 62 10.9%	D) 102 18.0%
23. College speakers	23A) 62 10.9%	B) 125 22.4%	C) 102 18.0%	D) 257 45.3%
24. Information about career areas	24A) 134 23.6%	B) 206 36.3%	C) 85 15.0%	D) 134 23.6%
25. General information on types of post high school training available	25A) 101 17.8%	B) 176 31.0%	C) 94 16.6%	D) 176 31.0%
26. Computerized career information	26A) 74 13.1%	B) 113 19.9%	C) 87 15.3%	D) 272 50.0%

27. Have you decided on a career?			
a.	Yes	292	51.5%
b.	No	252	44.4%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE DECIDED ON YOUR CHOSEN CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS. IF YOU HAVE NOT, SKIP TO QUESTION 41.

Please list what occupation you have decided to pursue on the Answer Sheet and underline.

28. How sure are you of your decision?			
a.	Very sure	107	39.0%
b.	Pretty sure	167	29.5%
c.	Not too sure	54	9.5%
d.	Not sure at all	17	3.0%
	?)	221	39.0%

29. - 30. When would you say you first knew what occupation you were interested in?

58	10.2%	Before 6th Grade 29a	9th Grade 30a	71	12.1%
42	7.4%	6th Grade 29b	10th Grade 30b	63	11.1%
64	11.3%	7th Grade 29c	11th Grade 30c	33	5.8%
55	9.7%	8th Grade 29d	12th Grade 30d	18	3.2%
			?)	377	61.3%

31. What type of training do people need to be competitive in your career area?

a.	High School Diploma or less	59	10.4%
b.	H. S. Diploma + 1 Year Vocational Training	45	7.9%
c.	H. S. Diploma + 2 Years Vocational Training	68	12.0%
d.	H. S. Diploma + 2-Year University Degree	23	4.1%
e.	H. S. Diploma + 4-Year University Degree	110	80.6%
	?)	262	46.2%

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information about jobs and careers were to you when you were choosing your career:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
32. TV and/or radio ads	A) 41 7.2%	B) 98 17.3%	C) 136 24.0%	D) 53 9.4% ?) 235 41.4%
33. Parents or relatives	A) 117 20.6%	B) 134 23.6%	C) 59 10.4%	D) 19 3.4% ?) 236 41.4%
34. Friends	A) 56 9.9%	B) 123 21.7%	C) 118 20.8%	D) 32 5.6% ?) 238 42.0%
35. High school teacher	A) 62 10.9%	B) 84 14.8%	C) 105 18.5%	D) 76 13.4% ?) 238 42.0%
36. High school guidance counselor	A) 50 8.8%	B) 117 20.6%	C) 62 10.9%	D) 100 17.6% ?) 237 41.8%
37. School career day or similar program	A) 40 7.1%	B) 66 11.6%	C) 77 13.6%	D) 140 24.7% ?) 240 42.3%
38. Brochures or materials from college and schools	A) 61 10.8%	B) 96 16.9%	C) 77 13.1%	D) 89 15.7% ?) 139 42.2%
39. A job I have or have had	A) 44 7.8%	B) 53 9.3%	C) 72 12.7%	D) 141 24.9% ?) 250 44.0%
40. High school courses	A) 95 16.8%	B) 96 16.9%	C) 49 8.6%	D) 72 12.7% ?) 251 44.2%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE NOT DECIDED ON A CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS.

41. Do you feel you have all the information you need to decide on a career?

a.	Yes, definitely	33	5.8%
b.	Yes, but only partially	73	12.9%
c.	No, but I have some	149	26.3%
d.	No, not at all	90	15.9%
	?)	222	39.2%

42. What factors have kept you from deciding?

a.	I don't know where to go for help.	39	6.9%	
b.	I don't have the time.	31	5.5%	
c.	I don't want to make my decision this early.			168 29.63%
d.	I don't have enough information	75	13.2%	
e.	I know I'll find a job somewhere.	22	3.9%	
	?)	232	40.9%	

43. By what time do you feel you should decide?

a.	9th grade	40	7.1%
b.	10th grade	52	9.2%
c.	11th grade	97	17.1%
d.	12th grade	98	17.3%
e.	After high school	47	8.3%
	?)	233	41.1%

IVY TECH

CAREER PLANNING SURVEY

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Administered by:

Northwest High School
Indianapolis, Indiana

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NORTHWEST HIGH SCHOOL
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SURVEY
Number of Respondents = 101
? Denotes No Response

1. Grade

a.	8th	--	--
b.	9th	100	99.1%
c.	10th	--	--
d.	11th	--	--
e.	12th	--	--

2. Sex

a.	Male	45	44.6%
b.	Female	54	53.5%

3. Race/Ethnic Group

a.	Asian-American, Oriental	3	3.0%
b.	Black, Afro-American	5	5.0%
c.	White, Caucasian	48	47.5%
d.	Other	43	42.6%

4. In what type of high school program are you enrolled?

a.	General	58	57.4%
b.	College Preparatory	34	33.7%
c.	Vocational/Technical	3	3.0%
d.	Other	3	3.0%

5. How many different careers are you <u>seriously</u> considering at this time?

a.	None	10	10.0%
b.	One	28	27.7%
c.	Two	34	33.7%
d.	Three	21	20.8%
e.	Four or more	7	7.0%

PLEASE LIST THESE CAREER AREAS IN THE BLANK SPACE ON YOUR ANSWER SHEET.

6. Do you plan to continue your education past high school?

a.	Yes, definitely	56	55.4%
b.	I think so	17	16.8%
c.	I don't know	22	21.8%
d.	I don't think so	--	----
e.	No	3	3.0%

7. What type of school are you considering?
(Check all that apply)

a.	A state supported vocational or technical college (such as Ivy Tech)	14	13.9%
b.	A two-year college (such as Vincennes University)	9	9.0%
c.	An extension campus of a college or university (for example IUPUI)	17	16.9%
d.	A university or four-year college (such as Purdue, Marian College)	34	33.7%
e.	A private, for-profit school (such as Lincoln Tech, Lockyear College)	5	5.0%
	?)	22	21.8%

8. Do you work outside of school hours?

a.	Yes	25	24.8%
b.	No	74	73.3%

9. If yes, is your job in a career area you are interested in?

a.	Yes	11	10.9%
b.	No	59	58.4%
	?)	29	28.7%

In evaluating possible careers, how important to you are the following job characteristics?

(Please mark the most appropriate answer)

	A) VERY IMPORTANT		B) SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT		C) NOT VERY IMPORTANT		D) NOT AT ALL IMPORTANT	
10.	Job Duties	75	74.3%	13	12.9%	6	6.0%	
		4	4.0%	3	3.0%			
11.	Friends' opinion of the job	16	15.8%	27	26.7%	35	34.7%	
		20	19.8%	3	3.0%			
12.	Kind of people I'll work with	48	47.6%	41	40.6%	10	10.0%	
		--	--					
13.	Parent's opinion	39	38.6%	46	45.5%	7	7.0%	
		5	5.0%	4	4.0%			
14.	Status or prestige of the job	42	41.6%	40	39.6%	13	12.9%	
		3	3.0%	3	3.0%			
15.	Job security	64	63.4%	27	26.7%	8	8.0%	
		--	--					
16.	Like to work outdoors	19	18.8%	33	32.7%	30	29.7%	
		14	13.9%	4	4.0%			
17.	Money	76	75.2%	21	20.8%	--	--	
		--	--					

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information on careers and training have been to you:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT VERY HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
18. Career Days	18. A) 38 37.6%	B) 47 46.5%	C) 8 8.0%	D) 7 7.0%
19. Projections of job demand	19. A) 27 26.7%	B) 52 51.5%	C) 13 12.9%	D) 6 6.0%
20. Brochures and other materials from colleges	20. A) 34 33.7%	B) 34 33.7%	C) 11 10.9%	D) 16 15.8% ?) 5 5.0%
21. High school courses	21. A) 66 65.3%	B) 21 20.8%	C) 5 5.0%	D) 6 6.0%
22. Information on specific jobs	22. A) 58 57.4%	B) 29 28.7%	C) 6 6.0%	D) 4 4.0% ?) 4 4.0%
23. College speakers	23. A) 24 23.8%	B) 50 49.5%	C) 12 11.9%	D) 13 12.9%
24. Information about career areas	24. A) 42 41.6%	B) 41 40.6%	C) 13 12.9%	D) 3 3.0%
25. General information on types of post high school training available	25. A) 31 30.7%	B) 43 42.6%	C) 14 13.9%	D) 10 10.0%
26. Computerized career information	26. A) 26 25.7%	B) 33 32.8%	C) 22 22.8%	D) 16 15.8%

27. Have you decided on a career?

a. Yes	60	59.4%
b. No	33	32.7%
?)	4	4.0%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE DECIDED ON YOUR CHOSEN CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS. IF YOU HAVE NOT, SKIP TO QUESTION 41.

Please list what occupation you have decided to pursue on the Answer Sheet and underline.

28. How sure are you of your decision?

a. Very sure	29	28.7%
b. Pretty sure	33	32.7%
c. Not too sure	9	9.0%
d. Not sure at all	--	--

29. - 30. When would you say you first knew what occupation you were interested in?

5	5.0%	Before 6th Grade	29a	9th Grade	30a	25	24.8%
7	7.0%	6th Grade	29b	10th Grade	30b	4	4.0%
14	13.9%	7th Grade	29c	11th Grade	30c	4	4.0%
30	29.7%	8th Grade	29d	12th Grade	30d	4.	4.0%

31. What type of training do people need to be competitive in your career area?

a.	High School Diploma or less	6	6.0%
b.	H. S. Diploma + 1 Year Vocational Training	12	11.9%
c.	H. S. Diploma + 2 Years Vocational Training	16	15.8%
d.	H. S. Diploma + 2-Year University Degree	12	11.9%
e.	H. S. Diploma + 4-Year University Degree	22	21.8%

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information about jobs and careers were to you when you were choosing your career:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
32.	TV and/or radio ads	A) 9 9.0% B) 27 26.7% C) 20 19.8% D) 12 11.9% ?) 32 31.7%		
33.	Parents or relatives	A) 30 29.7% B) 25 24.8% C) 11 10.9% D) -- --- ?) 34 33.7		
34.	Friends	A) 7 7.0% B) 33 32.7% C) 24 23.8% D) 6 6.0% ?) 31 30.7%		
35.	High school teacher	A) 21 20.8% B) 31 30.7% C) 11 10.9% D) 6 6.0% ?) 32 31.7%		
36.	High school guidance counselor	A) 25 24.8% B) 27 26.8% C) 13 12.9% D) 4 4.0% ?) 32 31.7%		
37.	School career day or similar program	A) 16 15.8% B) 23 22.8% C) 14 13.9% D) 14 13.9% ?) 32 31.7%		
38.	Brochures or materials from college and schools	A) 21 20.8% B) 23 22.8% C) 11 11.9% D) 10 10.0% ?) 36 35.6		
39.	A job I have or have had	A) 9 9.0% B) 11 10.9% C) 15 14.9% D) 28 27.7% ?) 35 34.7%		
40.	High school courses	A) 33 32.7% B) 23 22.8% C) 5 5.0% D) 5 5.0% ?) 35 34.7%		

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE NOT DECIDED ON A CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS.

41. Do you feel you have all the information you need to decide on a career?

a.	Yes, definitely	12	11.9%
b.	Yes, but only partially	17	16.8%
c.	No, but I have some	22	21.8%
d.	No, not at all	9	9.0%

42. What factors have kept you from deciding?

a.	I don't know where to go for help.	8	8.0%
b.	I don't have the time.	7	7.0%
c.	I don't want to make my decision this early.	22	21.8%
d.	I don't have enough information	11	10.9%
e.	I know I'll find a job somewhere.	--	---

43. By what time do you feel you should decide?

a.	9th grade	14	13.9%
b.	10th grade	16	15.4%
c.	11th grade	18	17.8%
d.	12th grade	4	4.0%
e.	After high school	--	---

IVY TECH

CAREER PLANNING SURVEY

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Tri-West Hendricks Jr. Sr. High School
Lizton, Indiana

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Tri-West
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SURVEY
Number of Responses = 498
? Denotes no Response

1. Grade

a.	8th	113	22.7%
b.	9th	115	23.1%
c.	10th	100	20.1%
d.	11th	105	21.1%
e.	12th	64	12.9%

2. Sex

a.	Male	258	51.8%
b.	Female	233	46.8%

3. Race/Ethnic Group

a.	Asian-American, Oriental	4	.0%
b.	Black, Afro-American	2	.0%
c.	White, Caucasian	475	95.4%
d.	Other	12	.0%

4. In what type of high school program are you enrolled?

a.	General	185	37.1%
b.	College Preparatory	187	37.6%
c.	Vocational/Technical	8	.0%
d.	Other	110	22.1%

5. How many different careers are you seriously considering at this time?

a.	None	57	11.4%
b.	One	123	24.7%
c.	Two	201	40.4%
d.	Three	86	17.3%
e.	Four or more	27	5.4%

PLEASE LIST THESE CAREER AREAS IN THE BLANK SPACE ON YOUR ANSWER SHEET.

6. Do you plan to continue your education past high school?

a.	Yes, definitely	254	51.0%
b.	I think so	112	22.5%
c.	I don't know	80	16.1%
d.	I don't think so	19	3.8%
e.	No	27	5.4%

7. What type of school are you considering?
(Check all that apply)

a.	A state supported vocational or technical college (such as Ivy Tech)	85	17.1%
b.	A two-year college (such as Vincennes University)	32	6.4%
c.	An extension campus of a college or university (for example IUPUI)	56	11.2%
d.	A university or four-year college (such as Purdue, Marian College)	139	27.9%
e.	A private, for-profit school (such as Lincoln Tech, Lockyear College)	37	7.4%

8. Do you work outside of school hours?

a.	Yes	161	32.3%
b.	No	326	65.5%

9. If yes, is your job in a career area you are interested in?

a.	Yes	66	12.3%
b.	No	133	26.7%
	?)	297	59.6%

NOTE: ON THE NEXT QUESTION (LINES 10 THROUGH 13 ON THE ANSWER SHEET), MARK THE MOST AND SECOND MOST IMPORTANT ANSWERS ONLY. FOR EXAMPLE, IF MONEY IS MOST IMPORTANT TO YOU, YOU WOULD BLACKEN "E" ON LINE 12, AS INDICATED IN THAT BLANK. IF JOB DUTIES ARE SECOND MOST IMPORTANT, BLACKEN "B" ON LINE 10. YOUR ANSWER SHEET WOULD LOOK LIKE THIS:

10 a ■ c d e
11 a b c d e
12 a b c d ■
13 a b c d e

10. - 13. In evaluating possible careers, what factors are most important to you? (NOTE: Please list MOST and SECOND MOST important answers)

	Most Important	2nd Most Important
Job Duties	10a	10b
Friends' opinion of the job	10c	10d
Kind of people I'll work with	10e	11a
Parent's opinion	11b	11c
Status or prestige of the job	11d	11e
Job security	12a	12b
Like to work outdoors	12c	12d
Money	12e	13a
Other	13b	13c

10a.	154	30.9%
10b.	39	7.8%
10c.	10	2.0%
10d.	4	1.2%
10e.	64	12.9%
11a.	55	11.0%
11b.	20	4.0%
11c.	18	3.6%
11d.	30	6.0%
11e.	33	6.6%
12a.	78	15.7%
12b.	43	8.6%
12c.	19	3.8%
12d.	17	3.4%
12e.	72	14.5%
13a.	143	28.7%
13b.	22	4.4%
13c.	29	5.8%

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information on careers and training have been to you:

A VERY HELPFUL B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL C NOT VERY HELPFUL D I HAVEN'T USED THIS

14.	Career Days	A)	129	25.9%	B)	279	56.0%	C)	53 10.6%
		D)	32	6.4%					
15.	Projections of job demand	A)	78	15.7%	B)	200	40.2%	C)	102 20.5%
		D)	108	21.7%					
16.	Brochures and other materials from colleges	A)	86	17.3%	B)	226	45.4%	C)	93 18.7%
		D)	85	17.1%					
17.	High school courses	A)	190	38.2%	B)	161	32.3%	C)	59 11.8%
		D)	77	15.5%					
18.	Information on specific jobs	A)	174	34.9%	B)	206	41.4%	C)	52 10.4%
		D)	55	11.0%					
19.	College speakers	A)	62	12.5%	B)	185	37.1%	C)	102 20.5%
		D)	129	25.9%					
20.	Information about career areas	A)	149	29.9%	B)	236	47.4%	C)	62 12.5%
		D)	46	9.2%					
21.	General information on types of post high school training available	A)	67	13.5%	B)	201	40.4%	C)	113 22.7%
		D)	109	21.9%					
22.	Computerized career information	A)	37	7.4%	B)	111	22.3%	C)	87 17.5%
		D)	239	48.0%	?)	16	3.2%		

23. Have you decided on a career?

a.	Yes	259	52.0%
b.	No	219	44.0%
	?)	17	3.4%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE DECIDED ON YOUR CHOSEN CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS. IF YOU HAVE NOT, SKIP TO QUESTION 32.

..... Please list what occupation you have decided to pursue on the Answer Sheet and underline.

24. How sure are you of your decision?

a.	Very sure	85	17.1%
b.	Pretty sure	161	32.3%
c.	Not too sure	18	3.6%
d.	Not sure at all	---	-----
	?)	229	46.0%

25. - 26. When would you say you first knew what occupation you were interested in?

32	6.4%	Before 6th Grade 25a	9th Grade 26a	66	13.3%
---	-----	6th Grade 25b	10th Grade 26b	41	8.2%
43	8.6%	7th Grade 25c	11th Grade 26c	29	5.8%
44	8.8%	8th Grade 25d	12th Grade 26d	16	3.2%
?) 363	72.9%			?) 343	68.9%

27. What type of training do people need to be competitive in your career area?

a.	High School Diploma or less	25	5.0%
b.	H. S. Diploma + 1 Year Vocational Training	29	5.8%
c.	H. S. Diploma + 2 Years Vocational Training	56	11.2%
d.	H. S. Diploma + 2-Year University Degree	32	6.4%
e.	H. S. Diploma + 4-Year University Degree	104	20.9%
		?) 252	50.6%

NOTE: ON THE NEXT QUESTION, PLEASE MARK THE MOST AND SECOND MOST IMPORTANT ANSWER. ANSWER IN THE SAME FASHION AS QUESTION 10-13. FOR EXAMPLE - IF A JOB YOU HAVE IS THE MOST IMPORTANT, BLACKEN "E" ON LINE 30. IF PARENTS' OPINION IS SECOND MOST IMPORTANT, BLACKEN "D" ON LINE 28. YOUR ANSWER SHEET WOULD LOOK LIKE THIS:

28 a b c ■ e
29 a b c d e
30 a b c d ■
31 a b c d e

28. - 31. The MOST and SECOND MOST important sources of information which helped me choose my career were:

	Most Important	2nd Most Important
TV and/or radio ads	28a	28b
Parents or relatives	28c	28d
Friends	28e	29a
High school teacher	29b	29c
High school guidance counselor	29d	29e
School career day or similar program	30a	30b
Brochures or materials from college and schools	30c	30d
A job I have or have had	30e	31a
High school courses	31b	31c

I did not use any of the above 31d.

28a.	9	1.0%
28b.	12	2.4%
28c.	69	13.9%
28d.	31	6.2%
28e.	12	2.4%
29a.	22	4.4%
29b.	16	3.2%
29c.	13	2.6%
29d.	23	4.6%
29e.	17	3.4%
30a.	25	5.0%
30b.	36	7.2%
30c.	26	5.2%
30d.	27	5.4%
30e.	11	2.2%
31a.	13	2.6%
31b.	27	5.4%
31c.	18	3.6%
31d.	45	9.0%

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE NOT DECIDED ON A CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS.

32. Do you feel you have all the information you need to decide on a career?

a.	Yes, definitely	9	1.8%
b.	Yes, but only partially	61	12.2%
c.	No, but I have some	132	26.5%
d.	No, not at all	55	11.0%
	?)	239	48.0%

33. What factors have kept you from deciding?

a.	I don't know where to go for help.	22	4.4%
b.	I don't have the time.	---	-----
c.	I don't want to make my decision this early.	114	22.9%
d.	I don't have enough information	85	17.1%
e.	I know I'll find a job somewhere.	---	-----
	?)	260	52.2%

34. By what time do you feel you should decide?

a.	9th grade	22	4.4%
b.	10th grade	49	9.8%
c.	11th grade	78	15.7%
d.	12th grade	73	14.7%
e.	After high school	28	5.6%
	?)	248	49.8%

VII. B. SURVEY INSTRUMENTS

Following are instruments used in each part of the funded project, including high school survey materials developed for the Indiana School for the Deaf and for Parent groups, and evaluation forms used in secondary school presentations.

IVY TECH

CAREER PLANNING SURVEY

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Administered By:

Chatard High School

Mooresville High School

Monrovia High School

Northwest High School

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HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SURVEY

1. Grade

   a. 8th
   b. 9th
   c. 10th
   d. 11th
   e. 12th

2. Sex

   a. Male
   b. Female

3. Race/Ethnic Group

   a. Asian-American, Oriental
   b. Black, Afro-American
   c. White, Caucasian
   d. Other

4. In what type of high school program are you enrolled?

   a. General
   b. College Preparatory
   c. Vocational/Technical
   d. Other

5. How many different careers are you seriously considering at this time?

   a. None
   b. One
   c. Two
   d. Three
   e. Four or more

PLEASE LIST THESE CAREER AREAS IN THE BLANK SPACE ON YOUR ANSWER SHEET.

6. Do you plan to continue your education past high school?

   a. Yes, definitely
   b. I think so
   c. I don't know
   d. I don't think so
   e. No

7. What type of school are you considering?
(Check all that apply)

   a. A state supported vocational or technical college (such as Ivy Tech)
   b. A two-year college (such as Vincennes University)
   c. An extension campus of a college or university (for example IUPUI)
   d. A university or four-year college (such as Purdue, Marian College)
   e. A private, for-profit school (such as Lincoln Tech, Lockyear College)

8. Do you work outside of school hours?

   a. Yes
   b. No

9. If yes, is your job in a career area you are interested in?

   a. Yes
   b. No

In evaluating possible careers, how important to you are the following job characteristics?

(Please mark the most appropriate answer)

	A VERY IMPORTANT	B SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	C NOT VERY IMPORTANT	D NOT AT ALL IMPORTANT
10.	Job Duties	A	B	C	D
11.	Friends' opinion of the job	A	B	C	D
12.	Kind of people I'll work with	A	B	C	D
13.	Parent's opinion	A	B	C	D
14.	Status or prestige of the job	A	B	C	D
15.	Job security	A	B	C	D
16.	Like to work outdoors	A	B	C	D
17.	Money	A	B	C	D

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information on careers and training have been to you:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT VERY HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
18. Career Days	A	B	C	D
19. Projections of job demand	A	B	C	D
20. Brochures and other materials from colleges	A	B	C	D
21. High school courses	A	B	C	D
22. Information on specific jobs	A	B	C	D
23. College speakers	A	B	C	D
24. Information about career areas	A	B	C	D
25. General information on types of post high school training available	A	B	C	D
26. Computerized career information	A	B	C	D

27. Have you decided on a career?

a. Yes
b. No

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE DECIDED ON YOUR CHOSEN CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS. IF YOU HAVE NOT, SKIP TO QUESTION 41.

Please list what occupation you have decided to pursue on the Answer Sheet and underline.

28. How sure are you of your decision?

a. Very sure
b. Pretty sure
c. Not too sure
d. Not sure at all

29. - 30. When would you say you first knew what occupation you were interested in?

Before 6th Grade	29a	9th Grade	30a
6th Grade	29b	10th Grade	30b
7th Grade	29c	11th Grade	30c
8th Grade	29d	12th Grade	30d

31. What type of training do people need to be competitive in your career area?

a. High School Diploma or less
b. H. S. Diploma + 1 Year Vocational Training
c. H. S. Diploma + 2 Years Vocational Training
d. H. S. Diploma + 2-Year University Degree
e. H. S. Diploma + 4-Year University Degree

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information about jobs and careers were to you when you were choosing your career:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
32. TV and/or radio ads	A	B	C	D
33. Parents or relatives	A	B	C	D
34. Friends	A	B	C	D
35. High school teacher	A	B	C	D
36. High school guidance counselor	A	B	C	D
37. School career day or similar program	A	B	C	D
38. Brochures or materials from college and schools	A	B	C	D
39. A job I have or have had	A	B	C	D
40. High school courses	A	B	C	D

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE NOT DECIDED ON A CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS.

41. Do you feel you have all the information you need to decide on a career?

a. Yes, definitely
b. Yes, but only partially
c. No, but I have some
d. No, not at all

42. What factors have kept you from deciding?

a. I don't know where to go for help.
b. I don't have the time.
c. I don't want to make my decision this early.
d. I don't have enough information
e. I know I'll find a job somewhere.

43. By what time do you feel you should decide?

a. 9th grade
b. 10th grade
c. 11th grade
d. 12th grade
e. After high school

IVY TECH

CAREER PLANNING SURVEY

Instructions:

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Be sure to follow instructions carefully. Thank you for your cooperation.

Administered By:

Ben Davis High School

Tri West Hendricks High School

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HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SURVEY

1. Grade

   a. 8th
   b. 9th
   c. 10th
   d. 11th
   e. 12th

2. Sex

   a. Male
   b. Female

3. Race/Ethnic Group

   a. Asian-American, Oriental
   b. Black, Afro-American
   c. White, Caucasian
   d. Other

4. In what type of high school program are you enrolled?

   a. General
   b. College Preparatory
   c. Vocational/Technical
   d. Other

5. How many different careers are you seriously considering at this time?

   a. None
   b. One
   c. Two
   d. Three
   e. Four or more

PLEASE LIST THESE CAREER AREAS IN THE BLANK SPACE ON YOUR ANSWER SHEET.

6. Do you plan to continue your education past high school?

   a. Yes, definitely
   b. I think so
   c. I don't know
   d. I don't think so
   e. No

7. What type of school are you considering?
(Check all that apply)

a. A state supported vocational or technical college (such as Ivy Tech)
b. A two-year college (such as Vincennes University)
c. An extension campus of a college or university (for example IUPUI)
d. A university or four-year college (such as Purdue, Marian College)
e. A private, for-profit school (such as Lincoln Tech, Lockyear College)

8. Do you work outside of school hours?

a. Yes
b. No

9. If yes, is your job in a career area you are interested in?

a. Yes
b. No

NOTE: ON THE NEXT QUESTION (LINES 10 THROUGH 13 ON THE ANSWER SHEET), MARK THE MOST AND SECOND MOST IMPORTANT ANSWERS ONLY. FOR EXAMPLE, IF MONEY IS MOST IMPORTANT TO YOU, YOU WOULD BLACKEN "E" ON LINE 12, AS INDICATED IN THAT BLANK. IF JOB DUTIES ARE SECOND MOST IMPORTANT, BLACKEN "B" ON LINE 10. YOUR ANSWER SHEET WOULD LOOK LIKE THIS:

10 a ■ c d e
11 a b c d e
12 a b c d ■
13 a b c d e

10. - 13. In evaluating possible careers, what factors are most important to you? (NOTE: Please list MOST and SECOND MOST important answers)

	Most Important	2nd Most Important
Job Duties	10a	10b
Friends' opinion of the job	10c	10d
Kind of people I'll work with	10e	11a
Parent's opinion	11b	11c
Status or prestige of the job	11d	11e
Job security	12a	12b
Like to work outdoors	12c	12d
Money	12e	13a
Other	13b	13c

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information on careers and training have been to you:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT VERY HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
14. Career Days	A	B	C	D
15. Projections of job demand	A	B	C	D
16. Brochures and other materials from colleges	A	B	C	D
17. High school courses	A	B	C	D
18. Information on specific jobs	A	B	C	D
19. College speakers	A	B	C	D
20. Information about career areas	A	B	C	D
21. General information on types of post high school training available	A	B	C	D
22. Computerized career information	A	B	C	D

23. Have you decided on a career?

a. Yes
b. No

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE DECIDED ON YOUR CHOSEN CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS. IF YOU HAVE NOT, SKIP TO QUESTION 32.

Please list what occupation you have decided to pursue on the Answer Sheet and underline.

24. How sure are you of your decision?

a. Very sure
b. Pretty sure
c. Not too sure
d. Not sure at all

25. - 26. When would you say you first knew what occupation you were interested in?

Before 6th Grade	25a	9th Grade	26a
6th Grade	25b	10th Grade	26b
7th Grade	25c	11th Grade	26c
8th Grade	25d	12th Grade	26d

27. What type of training do people need to be competitive in your career area?

a. High School Diploma or less
b. H. S. Diploma + 1 Year Vocational Training
c. H. S. Diploma + 2 Years Vocational Training
d. H. S. Diploma + 2-Year University Degree
e. H. S. Diploma + 4-Year University Degree

NOTE: ON THE NEXT QUESTION, PLEASE MARK THE MOST AND SECOND MOST IMPORTANT ANSWER. ANSWER IN THE SAME FASHION AS QUESTION 10-13. FOR EXAMPLE - IF A JOB YOU HAVE IS THE MOST IMPORTANT, BLACKEN "E" ON LINE 30. IF PARENTS' OPINION IS SECOND MOST IMPORTANT, BLACKEN "D" ON LINE 28. YOUR ANSWER SHEET WOULD LOOK LIKE THIS:

28 a b c ▬ e
29 a b c d e
30 a b c d ▬
31 a b c d e

28. - 31. The MOST and SECOND MOST important sources of information which helped me choose my career were:

	Most Important	2nd Most Important
TV and/or radio ads	28a	28b
Parents or relatives	28c	28d
Friends	28e	29a
High school teacher	29b	29c
High school guidance counselor	29d	29e
School career day or similar program	30a	30b
Brochures or materials from college and schools	30c	30d
A job I have or have had	30e	31a
High school courses	31b	31c

I did not use any of the above 31d.

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE NOT DECIDED ON A CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS.

32. Do you feel you have all the information you need to decide on a career?

a. Yes, definitely
b. Yes, but only partially
c. No, but I have some
d. No, not at all

33. What factors have kept you from deciding?

a. I don't know where to go for help.
b. I don't have the time.
c. I don't want to make my decision this early.
d. I don't have enough information
e. I know I'll find a job somewhere.

34. By what time do you feel you should decide?

a. 9th grade
b. 10th grade
c. 11th grade
d. 12th grade
e. After high school

IVY TECH

CAREER PLANNING SURVEY

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Be sure to follow instructions carefully. Thank you for your cooperation.

Administered by:
Franklin Community High School
Franklin, Indiana

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HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SURVEY

1. Grade

   a. 8th
   b. 9th
   c. 10th
   d. 11th
   e. 12th

2. Sex

   a. Male
   b. Female

3. Race/Ethnic Group

   a. Asian-American, Oriental
   b. Black, Afro-America
   c. White, Caucasian
   d. Other

4. In what type of high school program are you enrolled?

   a. General
   b. College Preparatory
   c. Vocational/Technical
   d. Business
   e. Other

5. What is your approximate grade point average?
   (If less than 1.5, leave blank)

   a. 3.5 - 4.0
   b. 3.0 - 3.4
   c. 2.5 - 2.9
   d. 2.0 - 2.4
   e. 1.5 - 1.9

6. What is your class schedule this semester?

   a. 6 periods with a study hall
   b. 6 periods without a study hall
   c. Released 6th period
   d. Released 5th and 6th periods

7. During your Senior year, how many extracurricular activities have you participated in?

   a. None
   b. One
   c. Two
   d. Three
   e. Four or more

8. How many different careers are you seriously considering at this time?

   a. None
   b. One
   c. Two
   d. Three
   e. Four or more

PLEASE LIST THESE CAREER AREAS IN THE BLANK SPACE ON YOUR ANSWER SHEET.

9. Do you plan to continue your education past high school?

   a. Yes, definitely
   b. I think so
   c. I don't know
   d. I don't think so
   e. No

10. What type of school are you considering?
    (Check all that apply)

    a. A state supported vocational or technical college (such as Ivy Tech)
    b. A two-year college (such as Vincennces University)
    c. An extension campus of a college or university (for example IUPUI)
    d. A university or four-year college (such as Purdue, Indiana University)
    e. A private, for-profit school (such as Lincoln Tech, ITT Technical Institute, Indiana Business College)

11. If you do not plan to continue your formal education, what are your plans?

    a. Enter an apprenticeship program
    b. Work full-time
    c. Get married
    d. Join the armed forces
    e. I don't know what I'll do

12. Do you work outside of school hours?

    a. Yes
    b. No

13. If yes, is your job in a career area you are interested in?

    a. Yes
    b. No

14. If you do work, what type of job do you have?

a. Secretarial or clerical office
b. Labor or semi-skilled work
c. Retail sales (fast foods, consumer goods)
d. Skilled labor or apprenticeship
e. Farm labor

In evaluating possible careers, how important to you are the following job characteristics?

(Please mark the most appropriate answer)

	A VERY IMPORTANT	B SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	C NOT VERY IMPORTANT	D NOT AT ALL IMPORTANT
15. Job Duties	A	B	C	D
16. Friends' opinion of the job	A	B	C	D
17. Kind of people I'll work with	A	B	C	D
18. Parent's opinion	A	B	C	D
19. Status or prestige of the job	A	B	C	D
20. Job security	A	B	C	D
21. Like to work outdoors	A	B	C	D
22. Money	A	B	C	D

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information on careers and training have been to you:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT VERY HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
23. Career Days	A	B	C	D
24. Projections of job demand	A	B	C	D
25. Brochures and other materials from colleges	A	B	C	D
26. High school courses	A	B	C	D
27. Information on specific jobs	A	B	C	D

28. College speakers A B C D

29. Information about career areas A B C D

30. General information on types of post high school training available A B C D

31. Computerized career information A B C D

32. Have you decided on a career?

a. Yes
b. No

33. When I met with a counselor at Franklin High, I usually received:

a. No help
b. Little help
c. A lot of help
d. All that I needed

34. Based on my career plans, my classes at Franklin have prepared me:

a. Very well
b. Well
c. Adequately
d. Insufficiently
e. Poorly

35. Please mark how helpful the following subjects have been to you in making your career plans.

A VERY HELPFUL B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL C NOT VERY HELPFUL D I HAVEN'T HAD ANY OF THESE CLASSES

36. English A B C D

37. Social Studies A B C D

38. Math A B C D

39. Science A B C D

40. Foreign Languages A B C D

41.	Business	A	B	C	D
42.	Industrial Arts	A	B	C	D
43.	Home Economics	A	B	C	D
44.	Art	A	B	C	D
45.	Agriculture	A	B	C	D
46.	Health and Phys. Ed.	A	B	C	D
47.	Guidance	A	B	C	D
48.	Music	A	B	C	D

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE DECIDED ON YOUR CHOSEN CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS. IF YOU HAVE NOT, SKIP TO QUESTION 62.

Please list what occupation you have decided to pursue on the Answer Sheet and underline.

49. How sure are you of your decision?

a. Very sure
b. Pretty sure
c. Not too sure
d. Not sure at all

50 - 51. When would you say you first knew what occupation you were interested in?

Before 6th Grade	50a	9th Grade	51a
6th Grade	50b	10th Grade	51b
7th Grade	50c	11th Grade	51c
8th Grade	50d	12th Grade	51d

52. What type of training do people need to be competitive in your career area?

a. High School Diploma or less
b. H. S. Diploma + 1 Year Vocational Training
c. H. S. Diploma + 2 Years Vocatinal Training
d. H. S. Diploma + 2-Year University Degree
e. H. S. Diploma + 4-Year University Degree

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information about jobs and careers were to you when you were choosing your career:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
53. TV and/or radio ads	A	B	C	D
54. Parents or relatives	A	B	C	D
55. Friends	A	B	C	D
56. High school teacher	A	B	C	D
57. High school guidance counselor	A	B	C	D
58. School career day or similar program	A	B	C	D
59. Brochures or materials from college and schools	A	B	C	D
60. A job I have or have had	A	B	C	D
61. High school courses	A	B	C	D

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE NOT DECIDED ON A CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS.

62. Do you feel you have all the information you need to decide on a career?

a. Yes, definitely
b. Yes, but only partially
c. No, but I have some
d. No, not at all

63. What factors have kept you from deciding?

a. I don't know where to go for help.
b. I don't have the time.
c. I don't want to make my decision this early.
d. I don't have enough information.
e. I know I'll find a job somewhere.

64. By what time do you feel people should make their choice of careers?

a. 9th grade
b. 10th grade
c. 11th grade
d. 12th grade
e. After high school

Please feel free to write any comments or suggestions on how Franklin High School provides career information to students. Use the blank section of your Answer Sheet.

Thank you.

IVY TECH

CAREER PLANNING SURVEY

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Administered By:

Greenfield Central High School
Greenfield, Indiana

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HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SURVEY

1. Grade

   a. 8th
   b. 9th
   c. 10th
   d. 11th
   e. 12th

2. Sex

   a. Male
   b. Female

3. Race/Ethnic Group

   a. Asian-American, Oriental
   b. Black, Afro-American
   c. White, Caucasian
   d. Other

4. In what type of high school program are you enrolled?

   a. General
   b. College Preparatory
   c. Vocational/Technical
   d. Other

5. How many different careers are you seriously considering at this time?

   a. None
   b. One
   c. Two
   d. Three
   e. Four or more

PLEASE LIST THESE CAREER AREAS IN THE BLANK SPACE ON YOUR ANSWER SHEET.

6. Do you plan to continue your education past high school?

   a. Yes, definitely
   b. I think so
   c. I don't know
   d. I don't think so
   e. No

7. What type of school are you considering?
(Check all that apply)

a. A state supported vocational or technical college (such as Ivy Tech)
b. A two-year college (such as Vincennes University)
c. An extension campus of a college or university (for example IUPUI)
d. A university or four-year college (such as Purdue, Marian College)
e. A private, for-profit school (such as Lincoln Tech, Lockyear College)

8. Do you work outside of school hours?

a. Yes
b. No

9. If yes, is your job in a career area you are interested in?

a. Yes
b. No

In evaluating possible careers, how important to you are the following job characteristics?

(Please mark the most appropriate answer)

A VERY IMPORTANT	b SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	C NOT VERY IMPORTANT	D NOT AT ALL IMPORTANT

10.	Job Duties	A	B	C	D
11.	Friends' opinion of the job	A	B	C	D
12.	Kind of people I'll work with	A	B	C	D
13.	Parent's opinion	A	B	C	D
14.	Status or prestige of the job	A	B	C	D
15.	Job security	A	B	C	D
16.	Like to work outdoors	A	B	C	D
17.	Money	A	B	C	D

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information on careers and training have been to you:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT VERY HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
18. Career Days	A	B	C	D
19. Projections of job demand	A	B	C	D
20. Brochures and other materials from colleges	A	B	C	D
21. High school courses	A	B	C	D
22. Information on specific jobs	A	B	C	D
23. College speakers	A	B	C	D
24. Information about career areas	A	B	C	D
25. General information on types of post high school training available	A	B	C	D
26. Computerized career information	A	B	C	D

27. Have you decided on a career?

a. Yes
b. No

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE DECIDED ON YOUR CHOSEN CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS. IF YOU HAVE NOT, SKIP TO QUESTION 41.

Please list what occupation you have decided to pursue on the Answer Sheet and underline.

28. How sure are you of your decision?

a. Very sure
b. Pretty sure
c. Not too sure
d. Not sure at all

29. - 30. When would you say you first knew what occupation you were interested in?

Before 6th Grade	29a	9th Grade	30a
6th Grade	29b	10th Grade	30b
7th Grade	29c	11th Grade	30c
8th Grade	29d	12th Grade	30d

31. What type of training do people need to be competitive in your career area?

a. High School Diploma or less
b. H. S. Diploma + 1 Year Vocational Training
c. H. S. Diploma + 2 Years Vocational Training
d. H. S. Diploma + 2-Year University Degree
e. H. S. Diploma + 4-Year University Degree

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information about jobs and careers were to you when you were choosing your career:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
32. TV and/or radio ads	A	B	C	D
33. Parents or relatives	A	B	C	D
34. Friends	A	B	C	D
35. High school teacher	A	B	C	D
36. High school guidance counselor	A	B	C	D
37. School career day or similar program	A	B	C	D
38. Brochures or materials from college and schools	A	B	C	D
39. A job I have or have had	A	B	C	D
40. High school courses	A	B	C	D

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE NOT DECIDED ON A CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS.

41. Do you feel you have all the information you need to decide on a career?

a. Yes, definitely
b. Yes, but only partially
c. No, but I have some
d. No, not at all

42. What factors have kept you from deciding?

a. I don't know where to go for help.
b. I don't have the time.
c. I don't want to make my decision this early.
d. I don't have enough information
e. I know I'll find a job somewhere.

43. By what time do you feel you should decide?

a. 9th grade
b. 10th grade
c. 11th grade
d. 12th grade
e. After high school

44. Have you been made aware of the existence of a Career Center at our high school?

a. Yes
b. No

45. Have you been in the Career Center located in the library?

a. Yes
b. No

46. If yes, on your own or teacher took your group?

a. Own
b. Teacher

47. How many teachers have ever taken you as a class to the Career Center?

a. 1 - 2

b. 3 - 4

c. 5 - 6

d. None

48. Of the available materials in the Career Center, which do you find most helpful?

a. Books; pamphlets
b. Filmstrips and cassettes
c. COIN machine
d. Career information cards
e. I have never used them.

49. At the present time, are you

a. Sure of what career you want to pursue
b. Fairly sure
c. Don't know
d. Need more information

INDIANA VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL COLLEGE

December 1, 1982

Ms. Margery Laycock
Director of Guidance
North Central High School
1801 E. 86th Street
Indianapolis, IN 46240

Dear Ms. Laycock:

During the 1981-82 school year, Ivy Tech was involved in research concerning secondary student occupational and educational decision making. This project, a cooperative venture between Ivy Tech and the Indiana State Board of Vocational and Technical Education, was designed to foster articulation between secondary and post secondary institutions and develop methods for helping students make critical life decisions.

Our research indicated a need in many schools for an instrument to assess career decisions and student evaluations of available sources of information. The Ivy Tech Career Planning Survey (enclosed) was our response to this need. This instrument was designed to be comprehensive, easy to administer and score, and an indicator of methods to better reach students with training and career related information. The survey was pilot tested last spring at two high schools in Marion County, with very positive results.

This year, we are cooperating with the State Board to make the Survey available to all interested schools in the eight county region surrounding Marion County. We would like to determine the potential of the Career Planning Survey as a model for their adoption.

I would like to offer you the opportunity to administer the Survey to a part of your student body. You can assess student opinions, career awareness, and information networks, as well as the Survey itself. We will administer the Survey, tabulate results, and give you feedback on information obtained from your school and others in the area. You may personalize the Survey by adding questions of your own (up to our limit of 100 total questions). We will print and attach these questions to the form for use in your school.

Our goal in providing this service is to develop methods to ensure that any student in the career decision making process has complete, salient information on careers, future employment, trends, and various training alternatives. We feel that reasoned decisions are more likely to bring career satisfaction to the student. We want to work more closely with secondary schools in our area on a common concern - an enlightened, productive workforce, prepared for employment in today's competitive market, with skills designed for the future.

If you are interested in the Career Planning Survey and would like further information, please call me by January 15, 1983. I may be reached at 635-6100, extension 67.

Sincerely yours,

Perry T. Hammock
Admissions Research

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IVY TECH CAREER PLANNING SURVEY

INSTRUCTIONS FOR ADMINISTERING

1) Make sure each student has a number two (#2) pencil. The computer will not read pen or hard lead pencil.

2) Students should blacken the space that corresponds to their chosen answer. If a student changes an answer, the original answer should be erased completely to avoid misreading. They should use side of sheet starting with answer #1.

3) Students do not need to put their names on the answer sheet.

4) If any question does not offer the answer of choice for a student, have them leave the answer blank and write in their answer next to the space on the answer sheet.

5) When all students are finished, collect forms and answer sheets separately. Keep answer sheets together, and write grade level of students on top form of the batch. Return to Guidance Office.

6) Ask students to follow instructions carefully.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

Although nearly all students completing the form have had no trouble understanding instructions, there are always a few sticky areas. To the best of my knowledge, they are the following:

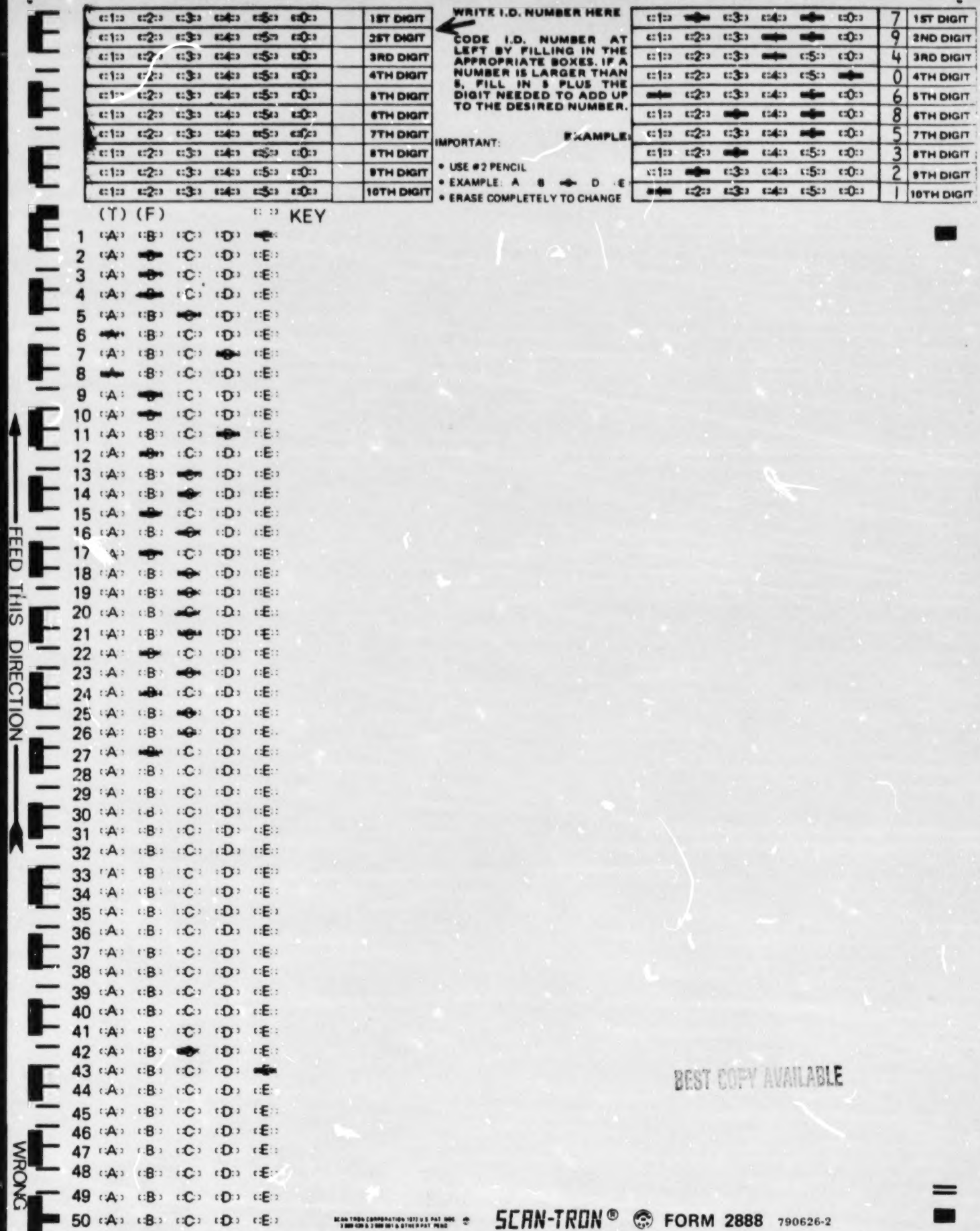
1) QUESTION 5: Asks students to list careers they are interested in. They may write them in anywhere in the blank area of their answer sheet.

2) QUESTIONS 28 - 40: Only students who have chosen an occupation or feel they know the career they want to enter should answer these questions. Students who have not decided should skip to question 41.

3) QUESTIONS 29 - 30: The appropriate block to mark is listed after the answer.

4) QUESTIONS 41 - 43: Only students who have not decided on a career should answer these questions. Other students should skip to Question 44.

*****NOTE: Through an error in printing your forms (Greenfield Central) the special instructions telling all students to answer Questions 44 through 49 were omitted. Please pardon the error, and make sure students understnad that they all are to answer these questions*******



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CAREER PLANNING SURVEY

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Be sure to follow instructions carefully. Thank you for your cooperation.

Administered by:

The Indiana School for the Deaf
Indianapolis, Indiana

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HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT SURVEY

1. Grade

   a. 8th
   b. 9th
   c. 10th
   d. 11th
   e. 12th

2. Sex

   a. Male
   b. Female

3. Race/Ethnic Group

   a. Asian-American, Oriental
   b. Black, Afro-American
   c. White, Caucasian
   d. Other

4. In what type of high school program are you enrolled?

   a. General
   b. College Preparatory
   c. Vocational/Technical
   d. Other

5. How many different careers are you seriously considering at this time?

   a. None
   b. One
   c. Two
   d. Three
   e. Four or more

PLEASE LIST THESE CAREER AREAS IN THE BLANK SPACE ON YOUR ANSWER SHEET.

6. Do you plan to continue your education past high school?

   a. Yes, definitely
   b. I think so
   c. I don't know
   d. I don't think so
   e. No

7. What type of school are you considering?
(Check all that apply)

   a. A state supported vocational or technical college (such as Ivy Tech)
   b. A two-year college (such as Vincennes University)
   c. An extension campus of a college or university (for example IUPUI)
   d. A university or four-year college (such as Purdue, Marian College)
   e. A private, for-profit school (such as Lincoln Tech, Lockyear College)

8. Do you work outside of school hours?

   a. Yes
   b. No

9. If yes, is your job in a career area you are interested in?

   a. Yes
   b. No

In evaluating possible careers, how important to you are the following job characteristics?

(Please mark the most appropriate answer)

	A VERY IMPORTANT	B SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	C NOT VERY IMPORTANT	D NOT AT ALL IMPORTANT
10. Job Duties	A	B	C	D
11. Friends' opinion of the job	A	B	C	D
12. Kind of people I'll work with	A	B	C	D
13. Parent's opinion	A	B	C	D
14. Status or prestige of the job	A	B	C	D
15. Job security	A	B	C	D
16. Like to work outdoors	A	B	C	D
17. Money	A	B	C	D

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information on careers and training have been to you:

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT VERY HELPFUL	D I HAVEN'T USED THIS
18. Career Days	A	B	C	D
19. Projections of job demand	A	B	C	D
20. Brochures and other materials from colleges	A	B	C	D
21. High school courses	A	B	C	D
22. Information on specific jobs	A	B	C	D
23. College speakers	A	B	C	D
24. Information about career areas	A	B	C	D
25. General information on types of post high school training available	A	B	C	D
26. Computerized career information	A	B	C	D

27. Have you decided on a career?

a. Yes
b. No

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE DECIDED ON YOUR CHOSEN CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS. IF YOU HAVE NOT, SKIP TO QUESTION 41.

Please list what occupation you have decided to pursue on the Answer Sheet and underline.

28. How sure are you of your decision?

a. Very sure
b. Pretty sure
c. Not too sure
d. Not sure at all

29. - 30. When would you say you first knew what occupation you were interested in?

Before 6th Grade	29a	9th Grade	30a
6th Grade	29b	10th Grade	30b
7th Grade	29c	11th Grade	30c
8th Grade	29d	12th Grade	30d

31. What type of training do people need to be competitive in your career area?

a. High School Diploma or less
b. H. S. Diploma + 1 Year Vocational Training
c. H. S. Diploma + 2 Years Vocational Training
d. H. S. Diploma + 2-Year University Degree
e. H. S. Diploma + 4-Year University Degree

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information about jobs and careers were to you when you were choosing your career:

A VERY HELPFUL B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL C NOT HELPFUL D I HAVEN'T USED THIS

32.	TV and/or radio ads	A	B	C	D
33.	Parents or relatives	A	B	C	D
34.	Friends	A	B	C	D
35.	High school teacher	A	B	C	D
36.	High school guidance counselor	A	B	C	D
37.	School career day or similar program	A	B	C	D
38.	Brochures or materials from college and schools	A	B	C	D
39.	A job I have or have had	A	B	C	D
40.	High school courses	A	B	C	D

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE NOT DECIDED ON A CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS.

41. Do you feel you have all the information you need to decide on a career?

a. Yes, definitely
b. Yes, but only partially
c. No, but I have some
d. No, not at all

42. What factors have kept you from deciding?

a. I don't know where to go for help.
b. I don't have the time.
c. I don't want to make my decision this early.
d. I don't have enough information
e. I know I'll find a job somewhere.

43. By what time do you feel you should decide?

a. 9th grade
b. 10th grade
c. 11th grade
d. 12th grade
e. After high school

IVY TECH

CAREER PLANNING SURVEY

Administered by:
Ben Davis High School PTA
Indianapolis, Indiana

This survey was prepared by Indiana Vocational Technical College through the cooperation of the Indiana State Board of Vocational and Technical Education, 1983.

PTA SURVEY

Please answer the following questions about your junior high or high school age child. If you have more than one child in this age group, please answer for your oldest child. Circle the letter of the most appropriate answer.

1. Grade

   a. 8th
   b. 9th
   c. 10th
   d. 11th
   e. 12th

2. Sex

   a. Male
   b. Female

3. Race/Ethnic Group

   a. Asian-American, Oriental
   b. Black, Afro-America
   c. White, Caucasian
   d. Other

4. In what type of high school program is he/she enrolled?

   a. General
   b. College Preparatory
   c. Vocational/Technical
   d. Business
   e. Other

5. What is your child's approximate grade point average? (If less than 1.5, do not circle an answer)

   a. 3.5 - 4.0
   b. 3.0 - 3.4
   c. 2.5 - 2.9
   d. 2.0 - 2.4
   e. 1.5 - 1.9

6. What is his/her class schedule this semester?

   a. 6 periods with a study hall
   b. 6 periods without a study hall
   c. Released 6th period
   d. Released 5th and 6th periods
   e. Do not know

7. During the current year, how many extracurricular activities has he/she participated in?

   a. None
   b. One
   c. Two
   d. Three or more
   e. I don't know

8. How many different careers is he/she <u>seriously</u> considering at this time?

   a. None
   b. One
   c. Two
   d. Three
   e. Four or more

PLEASE LIST THESE CAREER AREAS:

_____ _____

_____ _____

_____ _____

9. Does he/she plan to continue his/her education past high school?

   a. Yes, definitely
   b. I think so
   c. I don't know
   d. I don't think so
   e. No

10. What type of school is he/she considering?
    (Circle letter all that apply)

    a. A state supported vocational or technical college (such as Ivy Tech)
    b. A two-year college (such as Vincennces University)
    c. An extension campus of a college or university (for example IUPUI)
    d. A university or four-year college (such as Purdue, Indiana University)
    e. A private, for-profit school (such as Lincoln Tech, ITT Technical Institute, Indiana Business College)

11. If he/she does not plan to continue his/her formal education, what are his/her plans?

    a. Enter an apprenticeship program
    b. Work full-time
    c. Get married
    d. Join the armed forces
    e. "I don't know what I'll do"

12. Does he/she work outside of school hours?

    a. Yes
    b. No

13. If yes, is his/her job in a career area he/she is interested in?

    a. Yes
    b. No

14. If he/she does work, what type of job does he/she have?

    a. Secretarial or clerical office
    b. Labor or semi-skilled work
    c. Retail sales (fast foods, consumer goods)
    d. Skilled labor or apprenticeship
    e. Farm labor

In helping your child evaluate possible careers, how important to you are/were the following job characteristics?

(Please circle the letter of the most appropriate answer)

A VERY IMPORTANT	B SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	C NOT VERY IMPORTANT	D NOT AT ALL IMPORTANT

15.	Job Duties	A	B	C	D
16.	Friends' opinions of the job	A	B	C	D
17.	Kind of people they'll work with	A	B	C	D
18.	My personal opinion	A	B	C	D
19.	Status or prestige of the job	A	B	C	D
20.	Job security	A	B	C	D
21.	Like to work outdoors	A	B	C	D
22.	Money	A	B	C	D

Please mark how helpful the following sources of information on careers and training have been to your child:

(Please circle the letter of the most appropriate answer)

A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT VERY HELPFUL	D I DON'T KNOW

23.	Career Days	A	B	C	D
24.	Projections of job demand	A	B	C	D
25.	Brochures and other materials from colleges	A	B	C	D
26.	High school courses	A	B	C	D
27.	Information on specific jobs	A	B	C	D
28.	College speakers	A	B	C	D
29.	Information about career areas	A	B	C	D
30.	General information on types of post high school training available	A	B	C	D
31.	Computerized career information	A	B	C	D

32. Has your child decided on a career?

a. Yes
b. No

33. When your child met with a counselor at Ben Davis, he/she usually received:

a. No help
b. Little help
c. A lot of help
d. All that he/she needed

34. Based on your child's career plans, his/her classes have prepared him/her:

a. Very well
b. Well
c. Adequately
d. Insufficiently
e. Poorly

35. Please mark how helpful you think the following subjects have been to your child in making career plans.

	A VERY HELPFUL	B SOMEWHAT HELPFUL	C NOT VERY HELPFUL	D HE/SHE HASN'T HAD ANY OF THESE CLASSES	E I DON'T KNOW
36. English	A	B	C	D	E
37. Social Studies	A	B	C	D	E
38. Math	A	B	C	D	E
39. Science	A	B	C	D	E
40. Foreign Languages	A	B	C	D	E
41. Business	A	B	C	D	E
42. Industrial Arts	A	B	C	D	E
43. Home Economics	A	B	C	D	E
44. Art	A	B	C	D	E
45. Agriculture	A	B	C	D	E
46. Health and Phys. Ed.	A	B	C	D	E
47. Guidance	A	B	C	D	E
48. Music	A	B	C	D	E

NOTE: IF YOUR CHILD HAS DECIDED ON A CHOSEN CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS. IF HE/SHE HAS NOT, PLEASE SKIP TO QUESTION 52.

Please list what occupation your child has decided to pursue:

_____

49. How sure is he/she of this decision?

a. Very sure
b. Pretty sure
c. Not too sure
d. Not sure at all

50. When would you say he/she first knew what occupation he/she was interested in? (Check (✓) most appropriate answer)

Before 6th Grade	_____	9th Grade	_____
6th Grade	_____	10th Grade	_____
7th Grade	_____	11th Grade	_____
8th Grade	_____	12th Grade	_____

51. What type of training do people need to be competitive in this career area?

a. High School Diploma or less
b. H. S. Diploma + 1 Year Vocational Training
c. H. S. Diploma + 2 Years Vocatinal Training
d. H. S. Diploma + 2-Year University Degree
e. H. S. Diploma + 4-Year University Degree
f. I don't know

NOTE: IF YOUR CHILD HAS NOT DECIDED ON A CAREER, PLEASE ANSWER THE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS.

52. Do you feel your child has all the information he/she needs to decide on a career?

a. Yes, definitely
b. Yes, but only partially
c. No, but some
d. No, not at all

53. What factors have kept him/her from deciding?

a. Doesn't know where to go for help.
b. Doesn't have the time.
c. Doesn't want to make a decision this early in life.
d. Doesn't have enough information.
e. Knows he/she will find a job somewhere.

54. By what time do you feel people should make their choice of careers?

a. 9th grade
b. 10th grade
c. 11th grade
d. 12th grade
e. After high school

Please feel free to write any comments and/or suggestions on how Ben Davis High School provides career information to students.

Thank you.

WRITE YOUR COMMENTS HERE:

STUDENT EVALUATION OF
CLASSROOM PRESENTATION

TO THE STUDENT

The IVY TECH representative wants to know how you feel about today's presentation. Please answer the following questions as indicated. Don't write your name on this sheet.

WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING BEST DESCRIBE TODAY'S PRESENTATION? (Check all that apply).

The presentation was . . .

____too long ____too short ____right length

____interesting ____boring

____confusing ____clearly given

____right for my group ____not right for my group

WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING BEST DESCRIBE HOW YOU FEEL BECAUSE OF THE PRESENTATION? (Check all that apply).

____I now know more about IVY TECH than I did before.

____I don't know any more about IVY TECH than I did before.

____I would like to find out more about enrolling at IVY TECH.

____I'd rather go to some other college.

WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ABOUT THE IVY TECH REPRESENTATIVE DESCRIBE YOUR IMPRESSION? (Check all that apply).

____He answered my questions satisfactorily.

____He didn't seem to know the answer to some questions.

____He was enthusiastic about his subject.

____He didn't seem interested.

____He was well organized.

____He seemed disorganized.

VII. C. SELECTED FINDINGS

The findings of our current research support results of the initial study where questions were comparable. For the purposes of post secondary/secondary articulation, an important finding from our more stratified sample is the increase in variation noted between school populations. Wide discrepancies in attitudes, career preparedness and decisionmaking were noted. Individualizing presentations and services to the "mood" of the school in question takes on even more importance in light of this information. Selected findings pertinent to the research effort are presented below.

1) Roughly half of the sample (48.6%) report definitely planning to continue their education after high school.

2) "High school courses" and "specific information about jobs" were by far the most important sources of information regarding careers for students in the decisionmaking process. Computerized career information (probably due to lack of availability) was listed as least helpful.

3) Most students were considering two careers seriously (39.9%), or only one (27.5%). Few students were "job shopping" as considered likely for those who had not decided on a career. Those considering three or more careers accounted for 19% of the sample.

4) Nineteen percent indicated preferring two year vocational training for their postsecondary education.

5) "Job Security" was rated as very important as a job characteristic as often as "money" (63.9% vs. 63.1%). This is a marked increase since the initial research. No doubt this is evidence of the fact that youth do process information from outside sources about the nature of jobs in general. Job Duties, however, was listed more often than both of the above characteristics (73.2%) as the most important characteristic about career areas.

6) Over thirty-eight percent of the sample (38.1%) reported having little or no information with which to decide on a career. Given the resources available at all the sample schools, this high number indicates many students are not seeking any information to make such a decision. This represents an obvious high-priority area for intervention.

7) Nearly half of the students who had not decided on a career (45.9%) felt that they should decide during the eleventh grade or later. A full fifteen percent felt that they should wait until after high school to made the decision. Given the specialization of classes and vocational training in secondary schools, this seems to represent uninformed thinking on the part of students, and suggests another priority area for intervention, primarily at the lower grades.

8) Over half of the sample (51.7%) reported knowing what career they wished to pursue. Only twenty percent reported being very sure of their choice. The majority of those who had decided on a career reported knowing what they wanted to be in the the eighth or ninth grade (39.0%). This is much earlier that hypothesized, and indicates an area for longitudinal research; to discover whether these decisions are lasting or change over time. If they are stable, it leaves a smaller population on which to concentrate efforts.

VIII. EVALUATION

Evaluation was an integral part of the funded research. During the course of revising documents, training personnel in survey administration, setting up meetings and preparing documents, suggestions on increasing effectiveness or impact were always carefully considered. Changes in direction, though minor, nevertheless enhanced the project's results. Affected parties were consulted regularly, through formal meetings and informal contact, to ensure that the project was moving smoothly towards desired goals.

Summative evaluations were a combination of factors based on the project impact on various audiences. Evaluations conducted are listed below.

1) Secondary Personnel - Staff involved with the survey were asked for their evaluation of the impact and utility of the instrument for their purposes. Favorable evaluations were expected, since they had requested the survey, and results indicated a high degree of satisfaction with the outcomes. The only complaint voiced was due to a delay of several weeks in getting results back to the schools due to hardware malfunction and necessary repair downtime.

2) Classroom presentations - Student evaluation forms were distributed during presentations by Ivy Tech admissions personnel to check responses to our presentational methods. These presentations were altered to reflect information gathered by the Career Planning Survey (See sample form, Section VII. B). Responses were generally favorable, although a low percentage of response was noted. School personnel present during presentations voiced their enthusiasm for this type of activity, and the number of scheduled presentations has increased, indicating acceptance of the new format, which stressed the nature of work and job areas of promise for the next decade.

3) Internal evaluation - Staff associated with the project were interviewed to determine the utility and long range effects of the project. Most useful to the college is the information now available to develop marketing strategies and test effectiveness against expectations from research. Another major advantage is the indication of the advantages of various areas for further development. Working with parent groups has proven to be relatively barren ground for making progress, due to the extreme demands on personnel and time involved for minor improvements. Long term working relationships with the special needs students' umbrella organizations are indicated as important for continuation.

IX: RECOMMENDATIONS AND CONCLUSIONS

A) Conclusions: The analysis of what was accomplished and what was left undone is listed below on a percentage completed basis. The accomplishments are referenced by objective number.

1) Refine and expand research instrument: 100%+

2) Develop a more stratified sample: 100%

3) Assist one school in longitudinal study: 100%

4) Assist secondary schools as requested: 100%+

5) Work with special needs populations: 100%

6) Cooperate with Parent-teacher groups, administer instrument: 50% Instrument developed, not administered. Group which had agreed to use instrument changed mind.

7) Develop survey analysis package: 100%+

8) Conduct complete evaluation: 100%

B) Recommendations: Several areas were covered during the funded period: Recommendations for furthering the research are listed by major area.

1) Marketing - Particular strategies should be developed for each school covered, based on survey results and input from school personnel. In-class presentations should be stressed, and little emphasis placed on general, "supermarket" career days. We have implemented this line of thinking in our marketing and articulation with secondary schools, and are noting increases in response and approval and commensurate savings in personnel due to more effective use of time.

2) Research - A longitudinal study is strongly suggested as a continuation effort by the collected data. This study should focus on the longevity and stability of career choices among students at various grade levels in the secondary environment.

3) Parent Groups - based on our findings and meetings with PTA groups, this does not seem to be a cost-effective area for research.

4) Special Needs Students - inroads have been made with the Indiana School for the Deaf (through advisory board development) and the Indiana Division of Vocational Rehabilitation. Due to the complexity of project operations, and individual student needs, this area is one which requires the long term commitment to change which we have begun. Working in this area will be a continuing priority for the college.

XII. FINAL REPORT ABSTRACT

A) The purpose of this project was to refine and expand services performed during the previous granted period. This earlier project (SBVTE #35-82-111-4-08) consisted of a research program to develop information useful to IVTC in working with area secondary schools and potential students. Instruments developed during this research process were pilot tested at two area schools and initial results prepared. The 1982-83 project stressed enhancement of initial results and assessment of the validity of research instruments.

B) Specific Objectives

1) To refine and expand research instruments previously developed. Provisions were to be made to allow schools to address areas of special concern. School staff were to be trained in administering the test so they may continue its use past the funded period.

2) To develop a more stratified sample of participating schools, so as to have a sample more reflective of the student population in Region 08. This sample would include urban, suburban, rural, private, and vocational students.

3) To assist at least one secondary school in developing and implementing a longitudinal study of their students using a panel approach.

4) To assist secondary schools as appropriate using IVTC staff. Selected areas included counseling sessions, classroom activities, and course analysis and development. The emphasis here was to determine the secondary effects for colleges in developing high schools' vocational program marketing.

5) To work more closely with agencies dealing with special populations, including the Indiana School for the Deaf and the Indiana Office of Vocational Rehabilitation.

6) To cooperate with selected Parent-Teacher groups to develop and implement a needs assessment instrument appropriate for parents of secondary students.

7) To develop a system which would allow economical and efficient analysis of survey data. A report format for displaying results would also be developed.

8) To conduct a complete evaluation of project results to date.

C) Procedures

1) Research instruments were altered to more complete address areas of concern for articulation research. The Career Planning Survey was revised to facilitate administration and student completion. Provisions were made for schools to add questions of their own to make the survey more pertinent to their special needs. These forms are included in Section VII. B.

2) (3533) Secondary students participated in the survey during the funded period. Information concerning the Survey was sent to guidance personnel at all secondary schools in Region 08. Respondent schools were given all necessary assistance for completing the project. Our sample included one urban school, three suburban schools, two rural schools, one private school, and one vocational school.

3) Monrovia High School will be conducting longitudinal research on their student population. Franklin High School will use the survey to assess career progress of graduates in conjunction with a survey they have delevoped.

4) Forty area schools were assisted during the funded period.

5) A specific research instrument was developed to be used at the Indiana School for the deaf (See Section VII. B). To further enhance communications between Ivy Tech, Indiana School for the Deaf and the Indiana Department of Vocational Rehabilitation, an advisory board was created which included participation by grant personel and other community representatives.

6) In cooperation with the Ben Davis Parents Teacher Association (PTA), a needs assessment instrument that could be used with parents was developed (See Section VII. B). It was the opinion of the Ben Davis

principal, vice principal and the PTA president that the current lack of enthusiasm in their PTA organization would not lend itself to administering the instrument to this group at the present time

7) A computer-based data analysis system was developed during the funded period. The system consisted of the following: an Apple II*, 64K computer, a Scan Tron 2012 form reader and software which included a A-STAT statistics package, a Visiplot Program for data display, and our own software to provide linkages among the software packages and basic file maintenance functions.

8) Evaluation of project activities were conducted. In class presentations by IVTC personnel were most effective. Evaluations of usrvey results were mixed.

D) Outcomes and Impact

1) The research instruments have been refined to the point that they may be used again with little change. Schools interested in continuing the survey project have been provided necessary forms and information.

2) Our more stratified sample allows greater confidence in survey results and more applicability to the Ivy Tech student population.

3) The longitudinal studies undertaken will allow schools to assess changes in student career decisions, developing needs for career information, and the impacts of different guidance practices on student decision making.

4) Using IVTC staff to assist secondary schools market their vocational programs was a great success. Staff and students voiced enthusiasm for this type of service. Although actual enrollment figures at IVTC will not reflect results of this type of project immediately, the goodwill created is valuable to our goals as a college.

5) By working with agencies that deal with special populations, IVTC can determine programs and methods of instruction to help individuals attain their highest levels of achievement, and help make them productive, happy members of society.

6) Though proven relatively unproductive Working with parent groups is of value as parents are influential in students' career aspirations. The commitment shown by IVTC and the State Board shows parents how their tax dollars can be wisely used.

7) Our research analysis system will allow IVTC to perform more sophisticated, relevant analysis of data on current and potential students. Better information leads to better decisions. Other articulation projects can now be undertaken without great expenditures of time and money.